

MONTHLY REPORT of MR. GEORGE B. JOHNSON  
 (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

Address Barrow, Alaska

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For the month ended JUNE 30, 1958.

Field or

Church Served Utkeagvik

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

Date Organized

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TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project Mission  
*(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)*

RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	Utkeagvik													
	A. M. CHURCH		P. M. CHURCH		S. CH. S.		CHURCH		S. CH. S.		CHURCH		S. CH. S.	
ATTENDANCE														
1ST WEEK														
2ND WEEK														
3RD WEEK														
4TH WEEK														
5TH WEEK														
TOTALS														
	<i>Note: on Reverse side</i>													

NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.													
CERTIFICATE													
RESTORED													

PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER													
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PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK

FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:													
PASTOR'S SALARY													
PENSION													
OTHER CONG. EXP.													
G. A. BENEV.													

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Utkeagvik	Geneva Fellowship (Visited)						
"	Prayer Meeting -Attended						
"	Officers Workshop -Visited						
"	Westminster Fellowship -Visited						
"	Jr. & Jr. High Teachers Class-Visited						
	*See Note on Reverse Side						

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VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:

June 15, 1958

(Date Submitted—Usually 1st of Month)

This certifies that I am actively engaged in National Missions work and that I expect to continue throughout the current month. (I expect to discontinue my services as of July 31, 1959.) For these services, I am entitled to receive:

As SALARY, for the month of June  
 (Month Just Beginning)  
 Salary ..... \$125.00  
 Rent allowance .....  
 Total ..... \$125.00

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_.  
 (Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
 Travel .....  
 Other .....  
 Total expenses due .....

Name George B. Johnson  
 (Sign legibly in ink)  
 Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, Alaska

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 or \_\_\_\_\_  
 Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_

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BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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My first week in Barrow was truly one of rare experiences and deep appreciation of the work of Missionaries. The moment I landed, I was received with open arms and taken in as another member of the Wartes family. Right away I acquired the nickname of "Uncle George". All the members of the ~~g~~ family truly showed in their lives "the Love of God".

The ~~first~~ first meeting I attended was the Geneva Fellowship. We played volleyball for a while, and then had a snack, followed by devotions. The warmth of these "Eskimos" certainly impressed me. They all seemed so friendly and showed in their faces that they had experienced this "Love of God" also.

The next day after putting up signs in the village about the Billy Graham film, "Oiltown", everybody knew my name and called me "George" or "Hi". In the evening I attended the Officers Workshop. I guess everyone was a little nervous for no one did much talking except Bill Wartes, who led the discussion.

At the Billy Graham film, everyone turned out right down to the littlest ones. It was enjoyed by all.

Next day saw many things happen. I finished a porch and steps I had been working on and just ~~in~~ in time for a "Fellowship Dinner". It was a kind of two-in-one affair; first, for the Wartes going-away and secondly, for my coming. I never tasted such wonderful food. For entertainment we did some 'jump-rope' ~~frythum~~ game. This was followed by some 'string stories' told by the older folks. It also was a new experience. Afterwards, I visited W.F. and gave a Testimony and told the young people what a privilege it was to have a group like theirs. There were about 25 or 30 out.

Friday, the 27th, Samuel Simmonds and myself and Mark Wartes walked out on the Ice in hopes of doing some Seal hunting. We certainly walked far enough, only to see it break up when we got to our destination. A sight well worth seeing. If I had only brought my camera.

Saturday, the 28th, I erected a Sign, which pointed to different key cities on the globe. The next day ~~every~~<sup>thing</sup> one noticed it. In the evening, attended a Sunday School Teachers Class. I was to take over the next week.

Sunday, AM, gave Testimony. Afternoon, taught Jr. Hi B&G; Evening DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE read scripture and sang in the Choir.

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

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For the month ended JULY 31, 1958

Address Barrow, Alaska

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Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

Date Organized 1891 18

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
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## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	Utkeagvik									
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK										
2ND WEEK	See Reverse	Side								
3RD WEEK										
4TH WEEK										
5TH WEEK										
TOTALS										

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.						
CERTIFICATE						
RESTORED						

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER					
PASTORAL VISITS					

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:						
PASTOR'S SALARY						
PENSION						
OTHER CONG. EXP.						
G. A. BENEV.						

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Utkeagvik	Presbykids		21	14	24	26	85
"	Polar Bearers		25		24		49
"	Westminster Fellowship	10	328	16	18	11	58
"	Teacher's Class (training)		3	5	4	3	15
"	Jr. High Sunday School Class						

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7 August 1, 1958  
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(I expect to discontinue my services as of July 31, 1959.) For these services, I am entitled to receive:As SALARY, for the month of \$250.00 August  
(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$250.00  
Rent allowance  
Total \$250.00As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_Name George B. Johnson  
(Sign legibly in ink)Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, Alaska Check if New Address.

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UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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The month of July was truly one of much activity. The weather was good most of the month, with some fog moving in the later part of the month. During the 1st of the month, the big project was the Music Festival, which was held on the 2nd of July. The Mural on the back wall of the church was nearly completed in time for the festival. Dr. J. Earl Jackman and the Traveling Seminar was here for the Music Festival and enjoyed it very much. In the evening of the 2nd, there was a pot-luck dinner at the church, for the members of the Seminar. It really was a feed. There was every kind of food imaginable. After the Music Festival, there was an Eskimo dance at the Armory. It was a sight to see and very colorful. Each dance had a meaning and the costumes were very elaborate. ✓

The Fourth of July was spent relaxing and taking off the wheels on the Arctic Messenger III. There was also a Baseball game between the villagers and the service men. The Village won for the first time in a long while. The rest of the week was spent working on the back porch of the Manse.

On Monday, the 7th of July, I took the W.F. group on a picnic, of maybe I should say, they took me for a long walk. We walked about 5 miles down the beach to a place where there were 3 or 4 tents and here we ate our lunch. We sang songs and then I led them in some devotions. We finally reached home about 7:30 and boy, was I tired. There were 16 young people present.

Most of my activities have been with the young people, namely, Presbykids, Polar Bearers, and W.F. We usually play games first, then sing a few choruses, and close with some sort of devotions or story. The young people really like to sing. We do need piano players.

They also need to learn to conduct their own group.

I rebuilt the communion table and finished the back porch of the manse.

The 13th of July, I preached in the morning service. Bill Wartes did everything up until the sermon. I had a sore throat the day before, but by the time I got in the pulpit, it seemed all right. God certainly gave me strength. I received many compliments on it. During most of the services, I sing in the Choir and usually read the Scripture or Responsive reading.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

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The next major project was that of the porch and steps to the main door of the church. I built the same type of structure as on the side entrance, with the exception that the steps are more dressy. The Steps and porch took 4 days.

Monday nite, the 21st of July, I went with the Geneva Fellowship group down to Suklukak. It is a place west of Barrow, along the ocean and is a great spot for a picnic. We went by boat and had to watch for large cakes of ice in the water. I thought I would freeze, but was warmed up right away by a nice warm fire. The food was delicious and so much of it. I ate till I thought I would burst. Then we played an Eskimo game called Muna-Muna. It really wore me out running. The men played against the women. In all there were about 49 out. We got back about 12:30 or 1:00PM. It was truly one of the best picnics I have ever been on.

The next day, I went with Bill Wartes and Samuel Simmonds on another picnic, only this was called a Retreat. We left about 1:30 PM and by boat, only this time I was in charge on one of the boats. I had trouble with the gas line going down, but coming back, we really made time. We went about 15 miles down the coast again to the Wylie Post-Will Rogers Monument. This was a retreat for the Polar Bearers and Westminster Fellowship groups. There were about 60 out and we had a great time together. We played games, then ate and roasted fish on the open fire, then sang fun songs. After this we roasted some good old American "Hot Dogs" and ate snow for water. A real treat. Before going home we had our vespers on the beach. They consisted of a few choruses, followed by sharing some Bible verses together. It was real meaningful. Bill Wartes told us of some of his experiences with the plane. We sang "Blest be the Tie That Binds" and departed for home.

Friday, the 25th of July, the Chambers arrived; John, Barbara, and Sara Lynn. They looked so cold, but soon began to get used to the cool weather. Sunday John preached in the Morning and evening both. In the afternoon, Bill and he went to the Shooting station and held a service for the folks there. This is where they shoot ducks. This Sunday was truly one of the most memorable here in Barrow. After the evening service, we had a fellowship hour in honor of the Wartes' leaving and the Chambers' coming. The choir sang one of the songs that they had sung at the Music Festival. It was for Bill and Bonnie. After the song, Bill said a few words from the rear of the church and they were probably the hardest words he has ever had to say. Then the people lined up and said their final good-byes. For the first time in my life I knew what Christian Brotherhood and Fellowship can mean. The people literally wept because they hated to see the Wartes leave. It even caused a tear or two in my eye.

The last days of July were spent packing things for the Wartes family and saying good-bye to some of the finest people I have ever known, even if it was only for a month. I know they will continue to serve God where ever they go. All in all, It was a thrilling month.

Signed,

George B. Johnson

SEP 8 1958

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Date Organized 1891

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1ST WEEK		Preached-AM service									
2ND WEEK											
3RD WEEK											
4TH WEEK											
5TH WEEK											
TOTALS											

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.										
CERTIFICATE										
RESTORED										

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER						
NUMBER						

## PASTORAL VISITS

	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
NUMBER					

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:						
PASTOR'S SALARY						
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OTHER CONG. EXP.						
G. A. BENEV.						

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Utkeagvik	Presbykids	21					21
"	Polar Bearers	27	32	30			89
"	Westminster Fellowship	8	11	55	15		89
"	Teachers' Study	3	3	4	3		13

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September 1, 1958  
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Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_Name George B. Johnson  
(Sign legibly in ink) →  
Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, AlaskaPay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
Mail to  Address George B. Johnson (new accounts)  
First National Bank in Spokane  
Spokane 10, Wash. Check if New Address.

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During the month of August many new changes took place. With the Rev. John Chambers as the new Missionary here, there was a lot of moving and changing to be done. As far as the physical facilities are concerned, the big changes were the Painting of the Church and new sidewalks. The painting was done in record time due to the cooperation of the congregation. Only an announcement was needed from the pulpit. The weather was the only factor that slowed the work. The sidewalks are not completed as yet, but hope to have them done in time for winter. Most of the help on these was done by Leslie Itta, Samuel Simmonds, and Rev. Chambers.

Along with these projects, there was cleaning, fixing up a study, repairing the tractor, and butchering 2 Caribou for next winter's meat. The last week of the month saw much activity both church-wise and community-wise. With the arriving of the North Starr, everyone had a job to do. It was something to see how the goods were unloaded and checked off and delivered. Most everything arrived in good condition despite the rainy weather. One day was halted due to strong winds that made for rough water. One nite I remember some barrels being washed out by the water and everyone pitching in and helping in and helping to rescue them.

The program of the church kept most everyone busy that would lend a hand. The first Sunday Rev. Chambers was in Fairbanks and couldn't get back due to weather, so I was called upon to preach. The experience was good. It is a challenge to find the right kind of illustrations to use. The first Friday of the month, I also participated in an Infant Funeral. I led in prayer and also acted as a pall-bearer. A truly humbling experience.

The rest of my activities were spent with the Polar-Bearers and W.F. John has rearranged our schedule so the load is not quite so heavy on each person. He is sure and organizer and a man for getting things done. We now have staff conferences once each week. Our daily schedule allows the mornings for study, the afternoons for work, and the evenings for church meetings.

The Polar Bearers had good times learning games and new songs. They seem to learn fast and enjoy doing new things. The W.F. group is beginning to show results. One week only eight girls showed up, so we played girl's basketball, and volleyball. It seemed foolish but turned out to be lots of fun. I loaned one of the girls my book and she returned it with a very nice note written on the back cover. Their Christian experience ~~truly~~ truly means something to them and they can express it very well in writing. The third week we had a "going away party" for all those leaving Barrow for school. There were about 60 out and they sure enjoyed themselves. Rev. Chambers led the devotions.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

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2ND WEEK										
3RD WEEK	Preached-AM	Service (239)								
4TH WEEK										
5TH WEEK										
TOTALS										

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.									
CERTIFICATE									
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NUMBER									

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Utkeagvik	Presbykids			32			32
"	Westminster Fellowship		4	10	11	13	38
"	Teachers' Study		5	5	4	5	19
"	Choir Practice			25	30		55

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or \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to  Address New Accounts (Checking)  
First National Bank in Spokane  
Spokane 10, Washington

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In the month of September, as in August, many changes took place. The Sidewalks around the church were completed, New Linoleum in the sanctuary, as well as in the manse kitchen, and a new Stove in the manse. These were the big projects, but there were other lesser ones which I will not mention here. I did help Samuel Simmonds install a couple of windows in his house.

As for the program of the church, there seemed to be noticeable progress made here too. In Westminster Fellowship, we had a planning meeting, elected officers, installed them, and had a social during the month. I think that the W.F. group is beginning to understand their part in the total program of the church. They are beginning to sense the need for planning and responsibility. The president volunteered to help run off the church bulletin on Saturday. The vice-president sent a note telling me to meet with any W.E. girls after prayer meeting and plan for the food of the following meeting. It was good to see their response.

Rev. Chambers, Samuel Simmonds and myself also conducted our first Teacher-Training Supper. A Moody Science film was shown, "Vacant Chairs" which introduced the subject of Successful teaching. We are going to have one of these filmstrips once each month. After the film there was a talk and discussion on various ways to improve our teaching. The people entered into the discussion very well.

Also during the month I preached twice. As Rev. Chambers was in Fairbanks getting the Floats taken off the plane, Samuel Simmonds and I were left in charge of the mission for about 10 days. It was good experience for me, even though it did seem like quite a load. I was also called upon to lead Choir Practice for two weeks during this time. It was also during this time that Samuel & I directed the laying of the linoleum in the church. The people really turned out and carried the burden of the load. It took three days in all, but there were many periods of laughter and fellowship. The women did most of the spreading of paste and the men did the heavy work. Tea & Cookies were served regularly twice a day. I certainly felt a part of them during this time.

It was also during the month of September that the Community Hall (Armory) burnt down. It happened one Sunday morning about 7:00 AM. Rev. Chambers roused me out of bed and we put on our hip boots in hopes of helping. After folding some oil barrels out of danger, we began pouring water on the roof of a nearby house in hopes of saving it. The water we

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Truly an example of sacrifice - saved the house.

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

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The month of October was one of the busiest yet, both program and property ~~wise~~ wise. As for the property, the Westminster Fellowship group took on a project and completed it, inspite of my absence. They varnished the floor of the Marsh-Spence Hall (gym). This was a great improvement as the floor is usually so dusty whenever any games are played there. Also the Greist room is coming along fine and we had our first fire in the fireplace last tuesday, the 4th of November. It is the first fireplace in Barrow.

Another project that was a must, but did not add to the property, was the ~~the~~ week of Ice-Cutting. This was necessary for our winter water supply. It was a new experience for me, as well as for Rev. Chambers. I ran the power ~~we~~ saw most of the time, Samuel Simmonds, the tractor, and one or two helpers loading or unloading the Ice cakes. It was real work, but it is sure nice to have hot water to bathe in. Also a couple of other projects were started the last week of the month; namely enlarging the prayer room, and installing door sills in the sanctuary.

The program of the church is definitely improving and the people ~~are~~ ~~the people~~ beginning to take hold of responsibilities. We have chosen some youth advisors for our young peoples' groups. This is especially helpful in W.F. as the boys tend to dominate the activities with basketball. The W.F. officers now meet once a month to plan the month's activities. A Halloween Party was planned and carried out on the 31st. It was a joint party with the Polar Bearers. The day before both groups were busy with decorations and refreshments and they began to re-l the group spirit. This is important, I think. The party was a success and the costumes were a real laugh.

The highlight of the month was Spiritual Emphasis Week and the preaching of Rev. Charles Hoffmeister from Merced, Calif. The meetings were all well attended, but one factor made it especially hard on Samuel and Myself. We out Ice Cutting 4 out of the 5 days and by the time we got home we were pretty tired and found it hard to keep awake during the meetings. The Lord gave us strength and especially Samuel as he had to interpret the message each evening. The Lord blesses the services and about 41 in all made decisions of one kind or another. Saturday afternoon at 3:00, we had a Youth Rally and crowded about 60 into the gym for games. After the fun we sang songs and Charles showed some slides and asked the young people where they were going and who was in control of their lives. Two ~~were~~ indicated they wanted to receive Christ. Praise God for his marvelous works.

An answer to prayer for teachers has been answered and we now have about enough. I also spent a week with Bud Helmericks getting some fish for the mission this winter. Real good eating too.

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

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MONTHLY REPORT of Mr. George B. Johnson..... For the month ended November 30, 1958.  
 (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

Address Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church..... Field or  
 Church Served Barrow, Alaska.....

Synod Washington..... Presbytery Yukon..... Date Organized 1891..... 19.....

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project Mission.....  
 (Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:											
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.									
1ST WEEK											
2ND WEEK											
3RD WEEK											
4TH WEEK											
5TH WEEK											
TOTALS											

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.											
CERTIFICATE											
RESTORED											

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER											
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## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK	

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:											
PASTOR'S SALARY											
PENSION											
OTHER CONG. EXP.											
G. A. BENEV.											

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Utkeagvik	Westminster Fellowship	25	20	30	-		75
"	Teacher's Study	9	10	7	8	7	41
"	Youth Choir	-	32	35	30	31	128
"	Boy's Basketball Practice			15	20	12	47
"	Preached in A.M. Service						

THIS REPORT IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT A FULL NARRATIVE ACCOUNT OF THE MONTH'S ACTIVITIES—USE REVERSE SIDE.

## VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:

This certifies that I am actively engaged in National Missions work and that I expect to continue throughout the current month (I expect to discontinue my services as of July 31, 1959.) For these services, I am entitled to receive:

As SALARY, for the month of December  
 (Month Just Beginning)

Salary ..... \$250.00

Rent allowance.....

Total ..... \$250.00

Name George B. Johnson  
 (Sign legibly in ink)

Address Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church  
 Barrow, Alaska

Check if New Address.

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_

(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)

Travel.....

Other.....

Total expenses due .....

Pay to  Name First National Bank of Spokane  
 or  
 Mail to  Address Spokane 10, Wash.

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

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BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

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UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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The month of November was filled with some new events, as well as keeping the regular active program going. A youth Choir was started on the 9th of the month and I was put in charge as director. It is limited to 12 - 14 years young people. The turnouts have been good and we sang on Thanksgiving day. We are now working on a Christmas program and plan to use them in this. The Westminster Fellowship boys like to play basketball so well, we have decided to give them one afternoon a week for practice. Samuel and John felt that I could be spared at least one afternoon for this instead of the usual maintenance. We have worked it out so the boys work for about 1 hour before on the church and then have about 3 hours for practice. So far it has worked out and we have finished the Catwalk up in the attic of the church.

The Thanksgiving Feast was truly a sight to see. It began at 2:00 PM and lasted till 6:00PM. I never saw so many people in one place before. The food was distributed from a central place to where the people were sitting, either in the pews or on the floor. It was distributed by about 15 to 20 people either in sacks or pots. I tasted some kuak(frozen fish), raw caribou, Whale and muktuk. It was different but I enjoyed the experience. I can see why the natives have good teeth. The eating was followed by prayers, testimonies, and sharing what the Lord has done for them. I guess there were about 800 people in all.

The W.F. program for the month included studies and discussions in a booklet entitled, "The Christian Answer to life's urgent problems." We took one chapter a week as follows: 1, "Who Am I"; 2= "Who Is God?"; 3- "Who Is Jesus Christ?" The weekly turnout has generally increased as some boys who were away at National Guard Camp. Of course the boys outnumber the girls and the usual desire is to play basketball. We are trying to use different games in hopes of getting them to play together. There has been some improvement.

Maintenance-wise, the work consisted in completing the prayer room, repairing the mimeograph machine, installing electrical switches in the Greist Room, and hauling another load of Ice for water.

I have been attending Geneva Fellowship meetings on Mondays and have been asked more than once to start the songs. Since they don't have no piano during their devotional time, I consider it an opportunity to use some of my talents. I really have enjoyed playing games with them and getting to know each one of them better.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

JAN 1 1959

MONTHLY REPORT of Mr. George B. Johnson  
(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

For the month ended December 31, 1958

Address Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church

Field or

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Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

Date Organized 1891

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TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project Mission  
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ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.								
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CERTIFICATE					
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## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER				
PASTORAL VISITS				

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:					
PASTOR'S SALARY					
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OTHER CONG. EXP.					
G. A. BENEV.					

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Utkeagvik	Westminster Fellowship	20	20	16	-		56
"	Boy's Basketball Practice	10	12	9	15		46
"	Youth Choir Practice	30	40	38	43		151
"	S.S. Teacher's Study	10	8	7	8		33
"	Jr. High Sunday School Class						

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## VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:

January 12,

1959

(Date Submitted—Usually 1st of Month)

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(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$250.00  
Rent allowance \$250.00  
Total \$250.00As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_Name George B. Johnson  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Address Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church  
Barrow, AlaskaPay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_ Check if New Address.

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DATE 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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The highlight of the month was of course the Christmas programs. We had two this year; one by the Sunday School and Youth Choir, and one by the Geneva Fellowship and Adult Choir. I was put in charge of the Sunday School program and though it was a lot of work, I gained a lot of good experience. The Theme of the program was "The Message of the Bells". All those who participated did very well considering we only had two practices. After the performance we had a party for the W.F. group. They sang songs, opened presents, drank coffee and tea and then some remained and looked at slides. The 24th was the date of the Geneva Fellowship program and it too was well received. I think there were about 500 people at both programs. After this program, we sang Christmas Carols over the loud speaker, had refreshments, and then went caroling to some shut ins. This proved to be an experience of real joy in making people happy at Christmas time. We went right on into the homes, and even found some of them in bed. You don't really begin to experience humility until you have been in some of their homes. On the 25th, there was of course the traditional Christmas feast which was again well attended. In the evening there was an Eskimo dance at the Native Store Theatre. After seeing some of the whites try their skill at this ancient custom, I too felt the urge to try it. I received a lot of laughs and spent a lot of energy, but had fun doing it. Later I received some compliments and they said that I dance just like an Eskimo. (sort of like jitterbug only not so fast)

On the 26th there was a program by the National Guard and it proved to be on the humorous side also. These people are natural born actors. December 31st was the date of our Watch nite service. There was a service from 9-10, refreshments from 10-11, and the film, "Dust or Destiny" from 11 to 12. This was well attended and we entered the New Year in Prayer. There wasn't allot of shouting and hollering and noises like there usually is at home but just everyone wishing you a Happy New Year. I think I enjoyed it more this way.

The work on the property was slowed down a little due to the Christmas preparations, but we did manage to paper the Office. Also we put up a new chimney on the Marsh-Spence Hall. We also moved the Coal stove into the Sanctuary and did some general rearranging. The Westminster Fellowship boys and girls helped decorate the Sanctuary of the church as well as put up the Christmas tree. It looked very nice and they did a good job. These teenagers are always willing to help when ever we have something like this to do. On the bad side, I had a tooth pulled which caused me some grief near the

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



## NARRATIVE SECTION OF REPORT (Original and 3 carbons)

This is most important: It gives you a record of your work for your own review and evaluation; it tells us of your special problems or needs, your successes and gratifying experiences, your special meetings and activities; and it supplies the publicity department with news items for the Church.

Again I am happy to report my activities for the opening month of a new year, and I wish to express again my willingness to serve in any capacity that I can for my Lord.

I made sixteen friendly calls or visits to family homes. Of these, I got to talk and pray with six individuals with a very good response from each of them. I made seven hospital visitations to pray with and cheer the sick.

In my spare time I continue my studies from various books which would contribute to my work.

Sunday morning Inupiat Pre-service, two teachers' classes, Westminster Fellowship, and an Adult Communicants' class continue under my leadership.

Besides these I have time for such work as ice hauling, repairs, etc.

If you have confidential problems, write us separately and mark "personal."

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### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other

FEB 11 1958

The following goals and immediate program needs have been adopted by the Congregation and it is the responsibility of the Church Officers to implement them in every way possible so that the will of the Congregation will produce good results for the Kingdom and to the glory of God.

- A. Greater Lay leadership in all areas of church life and program.
- B. Continuation of the Officer Training Workshops started in 1957.
- C. Reorganization and strengthening of all committees with written standards for committees to be adopted by Session.
- D. Re-evaluation of whole program of Christian Education--adequate numbers of prepared teachers, effectiveness of teaching, class room space, etc.
- E. Prayerful approach to challenging youth to Church vocations.
- F. Greater stress on faithfull attendance of members at all services, particularly Communion services. We will celebrate the Sacrament at both a morning and an evening service so that more members could attend.
- G. More general and regular use of daily devotional helps in family worship.
- H. Increased interest in personal and visitation Evangelism.
- I. Increased understanding by the ladies of their National Women's Association.
- J. That we organize a men's group to work with the National Men's Council of our denomination.
- K. Completion of Sanctuary as early as possible in 1958. We request the Trustees to appoint a new Building Committee.
- L. Completion of Greist Memorial Parlor.
- M. Completion of Westminster Fellowship World Mission Mural on back wall of church.
- N. Participation in World Mission Study sponsored by our Board of Foreign Missions.
- O. Revitalization of Adult Choir and careful study by the Session of whole church music program and the appointment of a music director.
- P. Study of usher work and greater usefulness.
- Q. Increased contact with our members who are out of the village on jobs, in school, hospitals, or armed service.
- R. Study by Session of problems related to Christmas Feast and gift giving.
- S. Develop spring program toallow special Preaching Mission at Anaktuvuk Pass and the beginning work on a chapel there.
- T. Continuation of present established program of Fellowship groups and add a group for the 40 to 60 year age-span.
- U. Advance Program Committee will now be a permanent committee of the church with the addition of two more members--not already officers in the church--and the current President of Westminster Fellowship as an ex-officio member. (The two elected for 1958 are Rolland Toovak and Jeanette Brower.)
- V. Prayerful support of present program and any new efforts started by the officers to enrich our church life.
- W. Develop a deeper understanding of stewardship.
- X. We will encourage the use of The Year Book of Prayer for Missions.



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The work on my part is about the same this month, with few additions such as Church Bazaar which the Westminster Fellowship started 1/16 under my leadership.

Made nine calls on homes, where I prayed and have conversation with them, or mostly concerning church life; besides these I made about the same number of just friendly calls to other homes.

Made six hospital visitations to our sick people there, who in turn are always happy to see a friend.

Was also called on by five individuals who needed help and advice from their personal problems, it is always encouraging in my part to see them go relieved and happy.

My participations in services, Sunday school teachers class, leading Westminster group, conducting or leading Impiat service, are the same.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

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Travel

Other



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This month we all seem to have a lot to do, Marsh Spence Hall (old church building) was scrubbed and repainted, mostly by our Westminster Fellowship group.

Also in the main church building necessary work was being done, also repainting, by volunteer church members, with the help of eager W.F. group who also at the same time were working on the church mural. Observing the willingness of these people for the betterment of their church, I thank God for His unfailing guidance.

As for my personal work, I made twelve calls, on these calls three persons of their own will confess to me of their failings in Christian living, of which the most cause was drinking alcoholic beverages, and as a result they say their church life was cold. I prayed and talk with these persons individually, and again I thank God that they can pray with me then, for more strength and guidance from the Lord.

Also make five hospital visitation to our sick people here, all those I visit were not seriously ill, and show their appreciation that I visited them.

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Before I went to the Presbetry meeting I made eight calls to the various homes here, also make two hospital visits to the sick people. Again I am happy to report that these calls and visits I make have proved helpful, as some showed thier appreciation for my coming, and little advice I give.

On our way home from the Presbetry we stop at Anaktuvak Pass for worship service, later on we meet with the men concerning the planned chapel for them, which needs to be hauled by dogteam, if they are willing. The meeting was a real success because they showed thier willingness to cut and haul logs, even though one round trip with dogteam would take three full days. Rev. Wartes has done a lot of work on this project now hauling from this end equipment, food, and other necessary things, as well as spiritual food.

For the remaining half of the month I have also been quite busy, cutting and hauling ice for summer use took a lot of my time, as well as tractor repair, and other few things.

Besides these I have been able to work with and help young couple who were getting to the point of fighting, besides thier continual quarrels because of jealousy. Both have had an affairs with other persons before thier marriage, and these memories were giving them alot of troubles, mainly because the wife as continually bringing this up and also unwilling to forgive her husband, when he himself has forgiven her. After a long talk with them I finally convince the wife of the importance of forgivness, in these words, saying, Mrs.! how would you feel if Christ were to tell you now that He do not wish to forgive you of your sins! would you be happy? that got her to think, and then she finally said, that she realize now that it has been all her fault for thier troubles, and from then on she extend her forgivness with tears. Of course this was the time for prayer and praise to God for His guidance.

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My two weeks at Anaktuvuk Pass has been the highlight of my activities for this month. The first week I held evangelistic meeting each evenings, and at the end of these meetings, seven adults asked to join the church of whom I met individually concerning their decisions. Six families also asked me to have their children baptized, which numbered fourteen children altogether. When Rev. Wartes arrived from Barrow two weeks later all these were taken care of during the communion service.

At the close of the week for preaching mission I announced to the group, especially to the young people, that I wish to continue the evening meetings for singing practices, if they wish, I end up with almost everyone coming for practices also. I really enjoy my stay there, and it was refreshing to me when they received the message I bring from God's word with open hearts, and when each individuals express their appreciation for my coming. During my stay there I help them getting ready with the logs for the building of their chapel.

As for my part here at Barrow things need to be done too, like ice haul cleaning up of yard, and misc, work.

Made four hospital visitations, and six calls on homes besides my work at Anaktuvuk Pass.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

MONTHLY REPORT of Mr. Samuel Simmonds  
(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

For the month ended June 30

1958

Address Barrow, Alaska

Field or  
Church Served Barrow

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon Date Organized 1898 19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
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## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	10:A.M.									
	Inupiat service									
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK	62									
2ND WEEK	58									
3RD WEEK	60									
4TH WEEK	49									
5TH WEEK	56									
TOTALS	285									

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.										
CERTIFICATE										
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## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER						

## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
	3		1	2	6

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:						
PASTOR'S SALARY						
PENSION						
OTHER CONG. EXP.						
G. A. BENEV.						

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Saturday Teachers Study	24	22	24	26		96
	Westminster Fellowship	13		15	15		43
	Officers Training (workshop)		18		21		39

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(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$ 350.00  
Rent allowance.....  
Total \$ 350.00 ✓As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_Name Samuel Simmonds  
(Sign legibly in ink)Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_

Address Barrow, Alaska

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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There has been more things to do for me this month in the maintenance part of the church program, and as the result I have been unable to make calls like I should , anyway I did make a half a dozen friendly calls and few hospital visitations. Beside these calls I have been visited by four individuals, one came over to tell me of her unfaithfulness to her husband and ask for help, after interview and prayer she thank me for the releif and strenght to start anew. The other lady also came who was unable to go home to her husband for two days due to thier fights and quarrels (this lady has been drinking and staying out late) After prayer and interview I took her to her husband and again discuss concerning thier troubles, after the reconciliation we all thank God. Following Sunday both these ladies came forward , and are now helping in~~s~~ the church program, one in the choir and the other in the S.S.Teachers. The third individual who came to me was asking for help and guidances in his christian living. And the fourth individual wanted me to pray with him concerning thier <sup>only</sup> child wh<sup>e</sup> was very sick ; the next day he came over to tell me that the child is fine now and able to come home from the hospital, I could picture his face smiling brightly and full of faith in God.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

MONTHLY REPORT of Mr. Samuel Simmonds  
 (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)  
 Address Barrow, Alaska

AUG 7 1958

For the month ended July 31

1958

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Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon Date Organized 19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
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**RECORD OF ATTENDANCE**

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	10:15 inupiat service									
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK	67									
2ND WEEK	54									
3RD WEEK	61									
4TH WEEK	60									
5TH WEEK										
TOTALS	242									

**NEW MEMBERS**

PROF. & REAFF.										
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RESTORED										

**PRESENT MEMBERSHIP**

NUMBER										
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**PASTORAL VISITS**

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
	4		3	4	

**FINANCES**

PAYMENTS TO:										
PASTOR'S SALARY										
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CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Teachers training	19	21	20	18		78
	Officers workshop				11		11

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As SALARY, for the month of August  
 (Month Just Beginning)  
 Salary \$350.00  
 Rent allowance.....  
 Total \$ 350.00

Name Samuel Simmonds  
 (Sign legibly in ink)  
 Address Barrow, Alaska

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)

Travel \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_

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BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

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Many things seem to be happening during the month of July, as we observe our Pastor Rev. Wartes and family packing and prepares to leave, and also expecting for our new Pastor and wife to arrive. Besides that, I was able to take my whole family out camping for ten days in many years, which we all enjoy very much. While camping I had the opportunity to conduct worship service and sunday school to the campers, which numbers to fourty five people.

Between my regular duty here I made fourteen friendly calls, and six hospital visitations to our sick and injured.

Since the arrival of George Johnson he has taken over leading the Westminster Fellowship group, so that I have time for other work. George has contributed a lot already toward the church program in many ways.

It is only a week now since Rev. Wartes left, and I personally missed him, and yet with Gods help and guidance I am looking forward with ernest to work with our new Pastor, the Rev. John Chambers.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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Report highlights of work accomplished, indicating progress in program for the year; relate successes, gratifying experiences, special problems or needs; and summarize special meetings and activities. If space is insufficient, use plain paper to complete report.

The Month has passed so soon again as we labored to do the work physically and spiritualy. I was again able to have a weeks vacation and used this opportunity for Garobou hunting.

During this month the outside wall of the church has been painted by the voluntary work of the people.

Made seven hospital visitations during the month to pray and talk with encouragement to our sick people there.

Made nine get acquainted calls to each home this month with Rev. John R. Chambers, and I make five calls personally to those who needed my help and sympathy. Besides I was visited by four other indivituals who wanted my advise in thier variouys troubles.

Later part of this month I took over in leading the Polar Cross Bearer group.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



# M O N T H L Y R E P O R T , C O N T I N U E D

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When our Pastor makes twenty eight get acquainted calls to each home this month, I guided him and accompany him. In these calls we offered prayer before leaving each home. I also make six calls of my own to encourage some members and also to those who ask me to come for help and guidance from thier troubles.

Had a privilege in contucting two sunday evening services, when our Pastor was in Barter Island and also in Fairbanks. In one of these services two ladies came forward, one of whome needed help from her constant temptation from drinking, and the other lady who for the past year was living immorally and tried to devource her husband. I thank God for the conviction of these ladies who found that they needed help from the Lord.

For three day period this month Geogge Johnson and I supervise the voluntary work of the people in laying new linoleum floor on our sanctuary.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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To me the month of October seems to be filled with a lot of activities such as ice cutting for the years supply, which we have already done in four days work, and also the preparation of necessary equipment for this work.

The accumulation of toilet and garbage cans that needs to be disposed soon after freeze up.

Besides necessary labor around mission I went calling with Rev. John Chambers to various homes, the purpose of the calling was still a get aquainted one with various church members, and nonmembers as well.

In personal work I got to speak to two young ladies who were both involved in drinking. One of these young ladies who was really sorry for her sin, asked me to speak to her parents, with her present. As we talk together her parents were surprised that she had been drinking, and yet they were also compassionate and shed tears together there. She is now a member of the choir.

The preaching mission for Barrow by Rev. Hoffmester was a success because a lot of people were helped by his messages, the members and nonmembers as well, by the members you could tell by their anxiousness to hear his messages and by nonmembers by their attendance now after his wonderful sermons. I did my best to interpret for him during this week.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

DEC 11 1958

MONTHLY REPORT of Mr. Samuel S. Simmonds..... For the month ended Nov. 30 1958  
 (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) Field or  
 Address Barrow, Alaska Church Served Barrow

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon Date Organized 19.....

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
 (Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	10: a.m. imupiat service										
	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.								
1ST WEEK	75										
2ND WEEK	65										
3RD WEEK	63										
4TH WEEK	77										
5TH WEEK	81										
TOTALS	361										

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.										
CERTIFICATE										
RESTORED										

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER										

## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
	3	12	5	4	24

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:										
PASTOR'S SALARY										
PENSION										
OTHER CONG. EXP.										
G. A. BENEV.										

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Saturday Teacher's discussion	23	20	21	20		94
	Polar Cross Bearer's	29	31		33		93
	Communicant Class: Adult's			7	7	8	22
	Geneva Fellowship	45		49			94
	Music Community, meeting	8					8

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## VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:

This certifies that I am actively engaged in National Missions work and that I expect to continue throughout the current month. (I expect to discontinue my services as of 19.....) For these services, I am entitled to receive:

As SALARY, for the month of December  
 (Month Just Beginning)  
 Salary \$ 350.00 ✓  
 Rent allowance.....  
 Total \$ 350.00

Name Samuel Simmonds  
 (Sign legibly in ink)  
 Address Barrow, Alaska

Check if New Address.

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## INSTRUCTIONS

Dec. 8  
 (Date Submitted—Usually 1st of Month)

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
 Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
 Other \_\_\_\_\_  
 Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 or \_\_\_\_\_ (Person, if other than payee)  
 Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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Report highlights of work accomplished, indicating progress in program for the year; relate successes, gratifying experiences, special problems or needs; and summarize special meetings and activities. If space is insufficient, use plain paper to complete report.

Other than the usual work here few things have been added, such as my being elected again to serve as a councilman for the incorporated town of Barrew.

Since the departure of our territorial Police here my calls from various family troubles (due to drinking) have increased some, (six calls from them this month) But knowing that I am not a substitute for Policeman I sometimes discourage my callers in this case, but explain to them that I would prefer to speak to such person when he or she is sober.

I started teaching under the direction of our Pastor, a new communicant class which numbered up to ten adults.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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Report highlights of work accomplished, indicating progress in program for the year; relate successes, gratifying experiences, special problems or needs; and summarize special meetings and activities. If space is insufficient, use plain paper to complete report.

The adult communicant class which I teach complete their lessons this month, of which seven out of ten that attend were ready to join and already examined by the session. The three others were members who feel they needed more instructions concerning their Christian living.

The get aquainted calls which our Pastor was still making with me are still continuing. Also we make about fifteen special calls this month on parents who wish to have their children baptized.

More of my time was also spent for the preparation of two Christmas programs which were sponsored by sunday school department, and Geneva Fellowship with adult choir.

Also one particular person came to me for help in starting a new life. He claim that he had never been to church for about three years now, he wept as he confess to me his weaknesses, after counceling with him for some time we prayed together, and as he prayed he ask God to forgive him now of his many weaknesses and sins. After this he was at ease and thank me for the help I was able to give him, he realize that he had made a mistake for not coming to church all these years. He told me that from now on he will be seen at the church and help wherever he is needed.

For the purpose of storeing my frozen food and meats, I hired two men ( after talking this over with our Pastor ) to dig underground cellar in the mission property, which they finished in eight days, and the cellar is now ~~useing~~ in use.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other



# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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I became a member, along with my wife and daughter, of the mission family officially July 15, 1958.

The first week was spent with my parents in Pennsylvania where I took several hours of special instrument flight training in preparation for service at Barrow. Also, while I was there I had the opportunity to present the work of the North Arctic Slope Mission to my home church. After many years of not fully meeting their Benevolence giving to the Central Receiving agency they have become quite interested in missions.

We returned to Schenectady July 20 for two more days of hurried packing before leaving by plane for Barrow. July 22 at a special meeting of the Presbytery of Albany-Troy I was dismissed to the presbytery of Youkon.

The next morning we were to leave for Seattle from Albany airport. The weather that morning was so bad that all morning flights to Detroit were canceled. However, New York City was still good enough for departures by air so we made reservations for a non-stop flight for 2:30. Some friends from East Glenville Church where I had served for three years as assistant pastor were kind enough to drive us to Idlewild. Traffic was quite heavy on Long Island and we nearly missed the plane. We arrived at the Ticket counter at 2:20 p.m.

Through all of this rush and the many hours in the air 11 week old Sara Lynn was a perfect traveler.

We arrived in Barrow July 25 and were met at the plane by Merideth Wartes. Also, as we came off the plane Helen Hood of Wein Airlines and for Eskimo children sang a welcome song.

I appreciated very much having Bill and Bonnie here for a few days with us. They were a great help in bridging the gap between us and the people as well as helping us get acquainted with the details of the Mission: money accounts, the Arctic Messenger III, the various fellowship groups, and the maintenance work to be done.

My first Sunday here will always stand out as mountain top experience. The eskimo Christians were very warm and open in their reception of us. They seemed very eager for the message. Their singing is very enthusiastic. I consider it a great privilege to work with these people for our Lord and His Church.

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EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

## MONTHLY REPORT of Rev. John R. Chambers

(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

Address Barrow, Alaska

SEP 11 1958  
For the month ended August 31 1958Field or  
Church Served North Arctic Slope

Synod Washington

Presbytery Youkon

Date Organized 1891

19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial

Town and Country

Headquarters Project

X

(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	Utkeagvik Presbyterian								Prayer Meeting	
	AM		PM							
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK	178	215	191						145	
2ND WEEK	202	222	215						149	
3RD WEEK	206	253	237						161	
4TH WEEK	184	182	225	The North Star arrived that morning.					255	
5TH WEEK	265	231	246							
TOTALS	1035	1103	1114						710	

## NEW MEMBERS

none received this mo.

PROF. &amp; REAFF.

CERTIFICATE

RESTORED

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER

609

## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER

FIRST WEEK

SECOND WEEK

THIRD WEEK

FOURTH WEEK

FIFTH WEEK

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:

PASTOR'S SALARY

PENSION

OTHER CONG. EXP.

\$65.25

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\$124

\$267.87

G. A. BENEV.

NONE

Activities  
CHURCH

## OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES

## WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	TOTAL
14		29			
	1	12			
	35	36	25	45	
		10			
			8		
				5	

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## VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:

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September

As SALARY, for the month of

(Month Just Beginning)

Salary \$375 (less pension)

Rent allowance

\$362.06

Total

As EXPENSES, for the month of

(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)

Travel

Other

Total expenses due

Pay to  Name

or

Mail to  Address (Person, if other than payee)

First Nat. Bank of Fairbanks

Fairbanks, Alaska

Name John R. Chambers  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Presbyterian Mission

Address Barrow, Alaska

 Check if New Address

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APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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The highlight service of the month was the service of introduction which was held August 27, 1958. (See the attached bulletin) Roy delivered the message in Inupiat with the highlights in English. Then as the one appointed by Presbytery to conduct the service he asked the questions of the new pastor and congregation. These were almost the same as the ones in the Book of Common Worship for the Installation of a Minister. Chaplain Maurer brought a fine charge to me in English. Before the actual charge he remarked that this was the first Service of Introduction or Installation of a pastor in the new State of Alaska. The vote had just been taken the day before in the territory to become a State.

I went to Wainwright with the Arctic Messenger III for Roy and Walter and took them back on Friday, August 29. On the way we saw sixty Karabu. Walter shot one for the mission here so Samuel and we are enjoying it now. Also, Bud Helmrick added two karabu to our meat supply here. He and two walrus hunters were stranded with us a whole week so each hunter shot a karabu for us. George Johnson has his hunting license and shot a large bull. This gives us a good supply of native meat for the winter.

Another service that stands out in the month was in the evening August 17 th. The Spirit of God was present in unusual power and at the end of the message five people ranging in age from 18 to 65 came forward to re-dedicate their lives to Christ. Several elders had moist eyes as they told me of the work of the Lord in the lives of the person to whom they talked. At services like this comes the joy and thrill of serving the Lord here.

On August 11 I flew to Anaktuvuk to marry a couple that had been waiting since Bill left. We had several delays in getting the license. Before the wedding there were 55 at the worship service. The next morning we discussed the next step in the construction of the chapel. All the walls are up, the roof is on, the windows are in, and all the sod is in the cracks. They are ready to start on the floor as soon as they can bring more logs up from the Johns River. I ordered some insulation from Montgomery Ward for the ceiling which should be there soon. Some of the money the Board sent will be used for buying plywood and flooring to cover the logs.

Early this month we started a weekly staff meeting where George, Samuel and myself discuss the program and maintenance work for the week. This has proven very effective in organizing both. George has the Westminster Fellowship, Samuel has the Polar Bearers, the Geneva Fellowship and the Forty-niners. Barbara and I take the Presbykids. George and Samuel teach the teachers on Saturday for the church school on Sunday afternoon. In maintenance this month with the help of several Eskimos the church has been painted outside (the new part only), the steps were built for the door near the Priest room, and the board walk was built all the way around the three sides of the main sanctuary.

Two young children passed away in Barrow this month. Samuel had one funeral and I had the other. Much time was spent in cleaning, sorting and arranging materials and supplies early in the month. Late in the month the North Star arrived and all the things DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE were put away until we are ready to use them.

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

## MONTHLY REPORT of Rev. John R. Chambers

(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

Address Utkeagvik Presby. Church, Barrow Alaska

OCT 9 1958 Sept. 30 1958

For the month ended

Field or  
Church Served North Arctic Slope

Synod Washington Presbytery Youkon

Date Organized 1891

19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project.....  
(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

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## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	Utkeagvik Presbyterian											
	A.M.	P.M.	Prayer									
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	Meeting	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.		
1ST WEEK	271	232	286	175								
2ND WEEK	235	251	268	142								
3RD WEEK	239	261	258	163								
4TH WEEK	297	293	311	171								
TOTALS	1042	1127	1123	651								

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.												
CERTIFICATE												
RESTORED												

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER	607 (one member died in September)											
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## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
	4	15	12	14	

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:												
PASTOR'S SALARY												
PENSION												
OTHER CONG. EXP.		96.87		32.96			134.19					
G. A. BENEV.												

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE										
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH						TOTAL
Geneva Fellowship		38	35				52	125				
Fortyniners			17			12						27
Presbykids	(For the record of the Polar	29	32	41								
Session	✓ Bearers and Westminster		14	8								22
Trustees	✓ Fellowship see the reports of			8								8
Deacons	Mr. Simmonds and Mr Johnson)					5						5
Officer Training		16				24						40

THIS REPORT IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT A FULL NARRATIVE ACCOUNT OF THE MONTH'S ACTIVITIES—USE REVERSE SIDE.

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As SALARY, for the month of October  
(Month Just Beginning)Salary \$375  
Rent allowance Less pension and food  
Total ??????

As EXPENSES, for the month of

(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)

Travel

Other

Total expenses due

Pay to  Name

or

Mail to  Address(Person if other than payee)  
First Nat. Bank of Fairbanks  
Fairbanks, AlaskaName John R. Chambers  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, Alaska Check if New Address

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APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_

DATE 19 \_\_\_\_\_

UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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## INSTRUCTIONS

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The Session had a very profitable meeting with quite a bit of discussion. They voted to give \$547 from the Benevolence offerings (the loose offering each week) to the advance fund of Presbytery. They were very happy to have this share in helping other churches get started in growing areas of Alaska. Since the Eskimo prays so softly I suggested that we have a prayer reminder list of the month and that we all pray softly like the Koreans. They liked the idea of a prayer list but felt that the time in prayer meeting should be spent in silent prayer and that it only be used the first Wednesday of the month. We ~~started~~ started this in October.

At this meeting the schedule of services and Sunday School was revised as follows: the Inupiat service moved from 10:15 to 10:00 and the second session of Sunday School from 3:00 to 3:15. The Session also discussed the request of Herman Rexford that the offerings of the Barter members be kept to use on the Island either for work on the present buildings or as a building fund for the future. The Session approved a request to the Board of National Missions that 50% of their offerings be used for a building fund, 25% be kept for present use and 25% be sent to the treasury of the Barrow church.

September 15 Barbara, Sara Lynn and I left for Anaktuvuk and Fairbanks to have the floats removed from the Arctic Messenger III. The construction of the Chapel at Anaktuvuk had gone as far as possible until more logs could be brought up the Johns River in October. These will be for the floor. While in Fairbanks I made arrangements for the lumber and plywood to cover it. The lights were installed the last week of the month and they have begun to use it. We are thankful that it has come along so far and hope that the floor will be in by the middle of November. We were five days getting back to Barrow because of weather, arriving there the 25th.

Early in September I placed a copy of the Bible and the two Inupiat books, Mark and Romans, by each bed in the hospital.

We had two officer training meetings this month because of the All Alaska Preaching Mission in October. One was held September 2 and the other Sept. 30. We began the Second Year Study Course at the second meeting. I led the meetings and Samuel interpreted where it was necessary. They discussed some in English and quite freely in ~~English~~ Inupiat. They are very interested in the Government and organization of our church.

We had a special Sunday School teachers dinner on the 12th. with 22 teachers present. Following the dinner we saw the film No Vacant Chairs produced by Moody Bible Institute. It was a real challenge to them and provided much material for discussion and improving teaching. They decided to have monthly training meetings which will begin in October. The basic material for these meetings will be the film strips Successful Teaching also produced by Moody. Their are six eight of these.

This was floor month for improving the property. The linoleum was put on the three rooms of the Igloo which ~~had~~ came on the North Star. Also, the linoleum for the kitchen of the manse was installed. Sept. 21-23 were work days at the church and with the help of many of the members all the linoleum was put down in the sanctuary. The Trustees voted to hire a carpenter for two days a week to lead the volunteers who wanted to work on the Priest Room at the rate of \$15 per day.

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## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

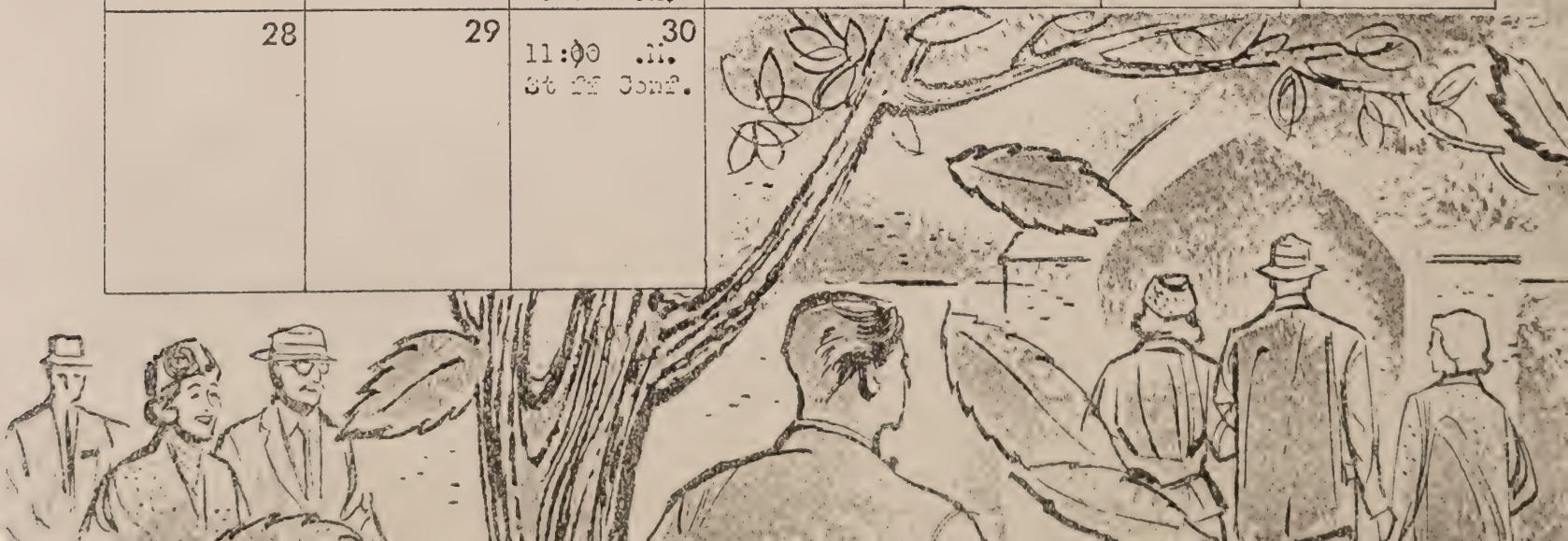
# Our CHURCH ACTIVITIES Calendar

For where two or three are gathered together in my name, there am I in the midst of them. Matt. 18:20

OCT 9/ 1958

## SEPTEMBER

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	L.BOR D.Y 1 Geneva Fellowship 8:00P.M.	11:00 A.M. 2 Staff Conf. Officer's Training 7:30P.M.	Presbykids 3 4:00P.M. Prayer Mtg. Elder Roxy Ekowens	Presbyterian Woman's Bible Study 7:30P.M. Westminster Fellowship Planning Meeting 7:30 P.M.	Polar & Bearers 7:30P.M.	5 6 Teachers' Meetings
very Sun. the following: Inupiat re-service 10:15 A.M. English Worship Service 11:00 A.M.	8 49ers 8:00 P.M.	11:00 A.M. 9 Staff Conf. Session Mtg. 8:00 PM	Presbykids 10 4:10 P.M. Prayer Mtg. Elder Marvin actor	Fr. s. emmons Bible Study 7:30P.M. Westminster Fellowship 7:30 P.M.	Polar & Bearers 7:30P.M.	7:30P.M. Primary D (Prayer R) 7:30P.M. Beg. Dept. (Grist R) 8:00 P.M. Jr. Dept.
Sunday School 14 2:00 and 3:00 P.M.  Evening Worship in English & Inupiat at	15 Geneva Fellowship 8:00 P.M.	11:00 A.M. 16 Staff Conf. Trustees Meeting 8:00P.M.	Presbykids 17 4:10 P.M. Prayer Mtg. Elder Forrest Solomon	Fr. s. Women's Bible Study 7:30 P.M. Westminster Fellowship 7:30P.M. Welcome 15 yr.	18 19 Polar & Bearers 7:30P.M.	(Lunse) 20 8:15P.M. Adult Dep (Prayer R) "
7:45 P.M. Adult Choir Rehearsal	W.C.R. D.Y 22 1:00 P.M. "Linoleum" 49-ers 8:00 P.M.	23 11:00 A.M. Staff Conf. D. cons Meeting 8:00 P.M.	Presbykids 24 4:10 P.M. Prayer Mtg. Elder Ken Teowluk	Cdis 25 Fr. s. Women's Bible Study 7:30 P.M. Westminster Fellowship 7:30 P.M. Installation	26 "	27 "
28	29	30 Staff Conf.				



MONTHLY REPORT of Rev. John R. Chambers  
(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)  
Address Presbyterian Mission, Barrow, Alaska

NOV 17 1958

For the month ended October 31 1958

Synod Washington Presbytery Youkon

Field or  
Church Served Utkeagvik Pres. & North Arctic  
Slope

Date Organized 1891 19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

**RECORD OF ATTENDANCE**

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A.M.		P.M.		Prayer						
	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	Meeting	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK	254	334	286	168							
2ND WEEK	241	322	309	112							
3RD WEEK	210	327	338	325	309	285	315	306	48		
4TH WEEK	229	317	351	186							
TOTALS	934	1300	1284	741	Total for Spec. Meet.	2716					
NEW MEMBERS	NONE										

PROF. & REAFF.

CERTIFICATE

RESTORED

**PRESENT MEMBERSHIP**

NUMBER 633

**PASTORAL VISITS**

	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
NUMBER	17	10	14	3	

**FINANCES**

PAYMENTS TO:					
PASTOR'S SALARY					
PENSION					
OTHER CONG. EXP.	\$257.81	\$16129	\$64.91	\$269.50	
G. A. BENEV.					

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Geneva Fell.		4	46				
Fortyniners			14			22	
Presbykids			42	47	51	57	222
Session			11			13	24
Deacons						9	9
Trustees						9	9
Choir Rehersal			23	18	28	26	114

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**VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:**

This certifies that I am actively engaged in National Missions work and that I expect to continue throughout the current month (I expect to discontinue my services as of 19.....) For these services, I am entitled to receive:

As SALARY, for the month of November  
(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$375  
Rent allowance less recoveries  
Total.....

Name John R. Chambers  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Address Presbyterian Mission, Barrow,  
Alaska

Check if New Address.

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due .....

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Person, if other than payee)  
First National Bank of Fairbanks  
Fairbanks, Alaska

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_ UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

This space for Headquarters use.

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

(Original and 2 carbons)

Report highlights of work accomplished, indicating progress in program for the year; relate successes, gratifying experiences, special problems or needs; and summarize special meetings and activities. If space is insufficient, use plain paper to complete report.

The highlight of the month was the Evangelistic Mission. Charles Hoffmeister, our speaker, was a great inspiration to myself and to the people. He took to preaching through Samuel as if it were second nature to him. As the week progressed the people opened up to him. Friday evening there were 19 seekers and Sunday evening 16. The total number of seekers was 49. Of these three were professions of faith in Christ and four who were non-members expressed a desire to join the church here. One lady had been a member of the Wainwright church but had been suspended. She wants to re-join in Wainwright as soon as she returns to her home.

Charles had a Sunday School class ask to get its members pen pals in Barrow. He decided to ask each fellowship group in Barrow for pen pals and had over 100 names when he left. Most of these were young people. Both Charles and myself felt that these contacts with other Christians will add greatly to their realization that they are all part of a much larger church.

A thorough follow-up program is planned for those seeking help. In the next several weeks I expect to call on all the ones coming forward. Also, every two weeks the elder who dealt with the persons coming forward will call to encourage and pray with them. For those desiring to join the church Samuel will begin a communicants class November 12.

Ice cutting came the same week as the Evangelistic Mission. I went along out one day and Samuel five days. This cut heavily into the number of calls that could be made. A total of 62 were made by Charles (with an elder) and myself.

Early in the month George took a week of semi-vacation; I took him to Bud Helmerick's home ~~on~~ the Colville Delta. In return for this week of work from George Bud gave us about 400 pounds of fish. Because it provided a change for George and because it was the means of augmenting our food supply I felt this was a good thing.

On October 27 the Arctic Messenger III was brought from the base to the Lagoon and the skis were put on. Later that week I had one of the Wien pilots check me out on them. He was a big help in getting used to landing and taking off the airplane. He also gave me some important hints for safety and care of an aircraft on skis.

This month the lumber for covering the floor of the Anaktuvuk Chapel was purchased and shipped via Wien. I had planned to go into the Pass on wheels but there was too much snow on the ice. I hope to get into the Pass in November to show them what I had in mind when purchasing the lumber. If I can't make it the first two weeks I will have to depend on correspondence to get this information and help to them.

Early in the month Samuel spent quite a bit of time preparing the tractor for ice cutting. He helped one of the elders bring his lumber from the shooting station with the cat. This elder in turn did most of the work in building the new cat sled which we needed badly.

The latest word in the village is that we are to get gas next summer. The Trustees will DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE begin studying our heating needs at their Nov. meeting.

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

## MONTHLY REPORT of Rev. John R. Chambers

(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)

For the month ended Nov. 30

1958

Address Presbyterian Mission, Barrow, Alaska

Field or Utkeagvik Presby. Church  
Church Served & North Arctic Slope

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

Date Organized 1891

19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project 

(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

## RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	Utkeagvik Presbyterian Church				Thanksgiving		Day	
	AM CHURCH	S. CH. S.	PM CHURCH	Prayer Meeting	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
1ST WEEK	194	272	311	205			A.M.	254
2ND WEEK	282	261	385	226			Feast	750
3RD WEEK	209	245	387	212			PM Film	500
4TH WEEK	228	271	393	191				
5TH WEEK	238	269	302	---				
TOTALS	1151	1318	1778	834				

## NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.					
CERTIFICATE					
RESTORED					

## PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER				

## PASTORAL VISITS

NUMBER	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
	5	17	16	13	51

## FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:					
PASTOR'S SALARY					
PENSION		\$140.78 to		Bd. Evang. Mission Fd.	
OTHER CONG. EXP.	29.85	\$270.77	\$80.43	\$29.85	
G. A. BEREV.			\$1030 field	recpts. to Bd.	

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
Geneva Fell.		48	53				101
Fortyniners			22		27		49
Presbykids		51	57	35	46	69	
Choir Practice		34	37	36	39	31	170
Session		12	12	20	13		57
Trustees				9			
Deacons					4		

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As SALARY, for the month of December  
(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$375 less recoveries  
Rent allowance  
TotalName John R. Chambers  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, Alaska Check if New Address.As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_

Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or \_\_\_\_\_  
Mail to  Address First Nat. Bank of Fairbanks  
Fairbanks, Alaska

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET CATEGORY No. \_\_\_\_\_ UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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The highlight of the month was the visit of Dr. Archibald Stewart to the mission along with Brian Cleworth. They were here from the eighth of November to the eleventh. Dr. Stewart brought the morning message about the work of National Missions which helped prepare the way for challenging the people to give sacrificially for the work of the Church. Brian preached the evening message. Following the evening service the Geneva Fellowship gave a reception in their honour. This gave a good opportunity to meet the over 200 adults who came back for it. Monday we flew to Wainwright and had about two hours with Roy. A dog team met us before we had walked far to the village and took us to Roy's house where we had a good hot meal. It was a great inspiration to all of us as we heard of the work being carried on there. I personally appreciated their visit to the Arctic Coast because such trips are essential in order for the Board in New York and the missionary on the field to work efficiently and effectively together.

Another highlight of the month was the Thanksgiving feast which took four hours to serve. It seemed like everyone in town was there. The young people of the church served the 750 men, women, and children which filled Marsh-Spense Hall and the Sanctuary. Frozen Kaaktuk (small white fish) and Anakalik (large white fish) were the first course. Everyone got about three pieces. Then came the frozen raw Caribou followed by frozen raw muktuk (whale). The next course was stewed caribou followed by bread and coffee, tea, or chocolate milk. While the people were finishing the meal testimonies concerning the Lord's blessing in their lives were given over the loud speaker. That evening we had a full sanctuary for the film Facts of Faith.

One significant change was made in the music program of the church. Warren Matumiak took over the job of directing the adult choir. He is doing a thorough job of teaching the new members how to read music along with an excellent job with the music program.

The Boy Scout program is finally getting under way. The local council required us to have six scout masters before granting us another charter. We lined these up by the end of the month so by the middle of December the program should be in full swing.

Early in the month one of the young men of the village was lost with his dog team out on the tundra. I spent two afternoons looking for him before we found him. He had been lost for five days and had almost completed a large circle and was within ten miles of the village. However, he did not know where he was. In his own words he said, "I am full of circles inside." While preparing to look for him the master celiacoid switch quit working. I installed a new one another day that week in order to be ready for Dr. Stewart's visit. The switch alone cost \$55.

The maintenance work done this month was a number of small jobs: The prayer room was enlarged and the floor completed. The electric wiring of the Priest Room was completed. Some ice was brought in from the lake.

DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

## Our Church Activities Calendar For

11 1958

## UTKEAGVIK' PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**John R. Chambers, Missions<sup>Mr</sup>-Pastor-Pilot  
Samuel Simmonds, Lay Preacher  
George Johnson, Student Ass't.  
**BED 50 BARROW, ALASKA****

# NOVEMBER 58

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
				Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first fruits of all thine increase: So shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine. Proverbs 3:9, 10		Teacher's Discussion
2	3	4	5	6	7	7:30PM Primary in Prayer Rm
Every Sunday 10:00 A.M.	Geneva Fellowship 7:30PM	Officers Training 8:00PM	Presbykids 4:10 PM	Westminster Fellowship 7:30PM	Polar Bearers 7:30PM	Beginn. in Geist
Inupiat Service	Music Comm. Meeting	Beach Circle Kugakmiut & Main Street	Prayer Mtg. Elder Eddie Hopson in charge			8:00PM Jr. & Jr. Highs in Manse 15
11:00 A.M. English Service	7:30PM Circles 10	11	12	13	14	8:15PM Adult Dept. in Prayer Rm
Sunday School 2:00 PM	6:30PM Potluck for 49'ers.	North Pole Circle at Greta Akpik's	Presbykids 4:10PM	Westminster Fellowship 7:30PM	7:30PM Teacher - Training Meeting	
Beginniet's Primary's Adult's		Prayer Mtg. Elder Fred Session Mtg. Ipalookiinl. 8:00PM	Elder Fred Ipalookiinl. charge.			
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
3:15 PM Jr. High's Juniors' High School Young Adults	Geneva Fellowship 7:30 PM	Trustees Mtg 8:00PM Beach Circle (Emma Tukle) Kugakmiut Circle at (Effie Numnik)	Presbykids 4:10PM Prayer Mtg. Elder Sadie Neakok in charge. 7:30 Comm. Cl.	Westminster Fellowship 7:30PM Women's Ass'n 7:30PM	Polar Bearers 7:30PM	
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
7:30 PM Evening Worship English & Inupiat	49'ers 7:30PM	Deacons' Mtg 8:00PM North Pole Circle at Kate Sakiagak's	Prayer Mtg. Geneva Fellowship in Charge 7:30 Comm. Cl.	Thanksgiving Service at 11:00 A.M. 2:00-6:00PM Feast. 7:30PM -Two Outstanding	Polar Bearers 7:30PM	



DAILY  
P R A Y E R - R E M I N D E R

NOVEMBER \* 1958

"But they who wait for the Lord shall renew their strength. they shall mount up with wings like eagles, they shall run and not be weary, they shall walk and not faint."

.....Isaiah 40: 31

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Spend a moment in quiet approach to the throne of grace, Think of God-His Love, Strength, Goodness, Justice, etc. Thank Him for Blessings; material, spiritual, physical. Confess known and unknown sin in your life. Then pray for the following:

1. Thank God for His blessings on the Spiritual Emphasis Week. Pray for those who came forward, that they will have victory in their lives.
  2. Thank God for leading the Wartes to their new church. It is in Sequim, Washington. Pray that the Lord will richly bless them in their service there.
  3. Pray for the Christians on the North Arctic Slope: Barter Island, led by Herman Rexford; Anaktuvuk Pass, led by Homer Mekiana; Wainwright, led by Roy Ahmaogak.
  4. Pray for the Missionaries in the Year Book of Prayer for each day.
  5. Pray for Mr. Chambers, Mr. Simmonds, and Mr. Johnson as they do the Lord's work; preaching, teaching, visiting, and working on the church property.

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  6. Thank God for the new Advisors that have been chosen: Hester Simmonds & Ruth Burnell, Presbykids; Joseph & Mable Panigeo, Polar Bearers; Lloyd & Alice Ipalook, Westminster Fellowship. Pray for their fellowship and Christian Growth.
  7. Pray for Dr. Jackman and the Board of National Missions as they make decisions about the work here.
  8. Pray for the officers as they work on the program of the church; the elders, the trustees, and the deacons.
  9. List and pray for Christian Friends who have special needs.

10. List and pray for those who are unsaved.

MONTHLY REPORT of Rev. John R. Chambers  
(Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss)  
Address Presbyterian Mission, Barrow, Alaska

For the month ended Dec. 31 1958  
Field or Utkeagvik Presbyterian  
Church Served & North Arctic Slope. (K)

Synod Yukon Wash. Presbytery yukon

Date Organized 1891

19

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project X  
(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)

RECORD OF ATTENDANCE

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A. M. CHURCH	S. CH. S.	P. M. CHURCH	Prayer Meetings	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.	CHURCH	S. CH. S.
ATTENDANCE										
1ST WEEK	258	315	374	207						
2ND WEEK	182	305	324	202						
3RD WEEK	263	319	391	196		475	Christmas Prog.	Dec. 23.		
4TH WEEK	243	324	348			544	Christmas Prog.	Dec. 24		
5TH WEEK				777		550	New Yr's Watch-Night Service			
TOTALS	746	1263	1437	605		1569				

NEW MEMBERS

PROF. & REAFF.										
CERTIFICATE	2									
RESTORED										

PRESENT MEMBERSHIP

NUMBER										
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PASTORAL VISITS

	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
NUMBER	17	7	10	14	

FINANCES

PAYMENTS TO:										
PASTOR'S SALARY										
PENSION										
OTHER CONG. EXP.	\$194.63	\$162.04	\$ 87.85							
G. A. BENEV.										

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE			
1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	TOTAL
Geneva Fellowship		49	37		86
Presbykids	69	56	48		229
Choir Practise	33	44	36	38	151
Session	9				11 20
Deacons, Trustees		8	5		
Fortyniner's	19		23		42
Officer's Training	26				26

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As SALARY, for the month of January  
(Month Just Beginning)  
Salary \$375 383.33 400,  
Rent allowance Less recoveries  
Total 383.33 (K)

Name John R. Chambers (K)  
(Sign legibly in ink)  
Address Presbyterian Mission  
Barrow, Alaska

Check if New Address.

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_  
(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)  
Travel \_\_\_\_\_  
Other \_\_\_\_\_  
Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_  
or  
Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_  
(Person, if other than payee)  
First Nat. Bank of Fairbanks  
Fairbanks, Alaska

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_ DATE \_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_

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People in Barrow do not think too much about Christmas until a week before it gets here but then they really like a lot of programs and activities. They wanted two Christmas programs so the Youth Choir and the Sunday School put one on Dec. 23. This was directed by George Johnson and was very well done. The following night the Geneva Fellowship and the Adult Choir put on a program which Warren Matumiak, the choir director, Samuel, and myself prepared. Samuel and Warren directed it. It was well received. Both nights there were at least 50 people standing in the back of the sanctuary.

Following the program Christmas Eve the choir went Caroling to the homes of the shut-ins while others stayed at the church and sang over the loudspeaker. The choir returned to the church about 10:30 for refreshments and then went on finishing about 12:30 a.m. It was a mild -5° Christmas Eve and Christmas Day.

The Feast Christmas Day was attended by about 700. This year we did not have the people bring their gift for each other to the church. It always caused much confusion and some disappointment each year. Also, the village has grown so that the gifts take up too much room.

The Sunday School children received their gifts, candy, nuts, and popcorn the Sunday before Christmas. We gave out about 550 gifts all of which were supplied by about four churches from outside. Another 75 were sent to Barter Island by courtesy of the Federal Electric Co. A group of ladies from Eilson AFB supplied gifts for the people of Anaktuvuk Pass.

The Watch-Night Service was well attended. We had a worship service with an interpreted message from 9:00-10:00, refreshments from 10:00-11:00, the film Dust or Destiny from 11:00 -11:50, and Bidding Prayers until just after midnight. I preached on "Redeeming the Time" and following the service a husband and wife came to Samuel and asked to teach Sunday School. They felt they had not been using enough time serving the Lord. We are for this and other evidences of the growth of the people in their Christian Faith.

For six weeks just before Christmas Samuel conducted an adult communicants class for seven people. These will be publically received at the Communion Service in January.

The work on the Griest Memorial Room has progressed well. The fire place has been hooked up and in use <sup>for</sup> over a month, the trim lumber and final enclosing of the fire place was done in December. Book shelves and a stand for the tape recorder are being made by Dave Brower and will soon be installed. The paper needs to be put on the wall and we will be ready for putting in the furniture.

DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

## MONTHLY REPORT

FEB 7 1958

For the month ending January 31, 1958

Report of (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) Rev. Wm. C. Wartes Address Barrow, Alaska

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

TYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters  Field Served North Arctic Slope

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A.M.		P.M.							
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.								
1ST WEEK	197	337	392							
2ND WEEK	237	395	393							
3RD WEEK	283	375	481							
4TH WEEK	294	428	397							
5TH WEEK										
TOTALS	1011	1535	1573							
NEW MEMBERS:	22									
PROFESSION	21									
LETTER	1									
PAYMENTS TO:										
PASTOR'S SALARY										
PENSION										
CONG. EXP.										
G. A. BENEV.										
PASTORIAL	14									
VISITS:										

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
✓	Prayer Meeting	168	156	175	189	171	688 859
✓	Adult Choir Practice	15	20	18	21	16	90 74
	Youth Choir Practice	30	40	35	48		153
✓	Polar Bearers	48	37	40	31		156
✓	Presbykids	66	61	68	70	65	330
✓	Youth Communicants' Class	22	22	22			44
✓	Geneva Fellowship	36		40		47	123
✓	Session and Trustees	10	11		6		27

IMPORTANT: Be sure to write the narrative report on the reverse side.

## VOUCHER

## TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

February 4,

1958

This is to certify that on the first day of February, 1958, or on the above date thereafter, I was actively engaged in National Missions Work and that it is my expectation to continue throughout the current month (X), or to discontinue my services as of ..... For these services there is due me

As SALARY for the month of February :

Salary (or wages) \$ 400 ✓

Rent allowance

\$400 ✓

Total

As EXPENSES for the month of :

(Itemize on reverse side) — (Do not include salary or rent)

Travel

Other

Total expenses due

 First National Bank of Fairbanks

(Person, if other than payee)

X Fairbanks, Alaska

*William C. Wartes*

(Sign with ink)

Barrow, Alaska

Street or R. F. D.

Pay to

or

Mail to

Check if

New Address

Fairbanks, Alaska

Post Office

Please do not write below this line.

BUDGET ACCOUNT

SYNOD

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## NARRATIVE SECTION OF REPORT (Original and 3 carbons)

This is most important: It gives you a record of your work for your own review and evaluation; it tells us of your special problems or needs, your successes and gratifying experiences, your special meetings and activities; and it supplies the publicity department with news items for the Church.

The highlight of this month was the Infant Baptism service and the reception of members on profession of faith. There were 39 infants baptized, 34 of them at one service, 8 were the children of one couple. The Sunday before a number of the parents of these children were presented to the congregation for Communicant membership. It was a very happy occasion for all the folks in the church. Some of these families had been problems to all of us so it was a great day to see them come forward into open allegiance to Jesus Christ.

Another point of interest is that the Air Force unit here is being moved out. Some of these fellows had been active in our church and responsible for the re-organization of our Scout troop. Considering these factors, Geneva Fellowship sponsored a very lovely farewell reception. This was held after a Tuesday night Scout meeting and was extremely well attended by our young adults and others especially interested in Scouts.

The Annual Congregational meeting was extended over a period of two weeks in four meetings in order that all the business could be fully considered and the new program goals adopted.

If the Youth week notice on our Activity Calendar is studied it can be seen that we had two Sundays with special elections and other activities. The several installation services ran into February. Both Sundays our two WF groups led in the Evening Service taking various parts of the service.

If you have confidential problems, write us separately and mark "personal."

### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other

FEB 7 1958

# GENEVA FELLOWSHIP

POT-LUCK DINNER February 3, 1958 6:30 P.M.

Bring enough food for yourselves plus one.  
Bring your own silverware. Paper plates and cups  
will be provided but  
if you prefer to use  
your own plates and  
cups bring them too.



Maybe no watermelon . . .



BUT GOOD FOOD A-PLenty!!



Oops  
Scus-please



AND A



OF A GOOD TIME!!

A FEATURE LENGTH FILM in natural color will be shown in two parts. This film is of educational and spiritual value. It has been highly praised by every careful observer. You will not want to miss it.



THERE WILL BE



SINGING and SPECIAL MUSIC FOR DEVOTIONS and GAMES DURING THE FUN TIME

NEW MEMBERS  
Welcome



Our new officers will  
be leading in Active  
and Associate Membership  
Enlistment . . .  
President: Mabel Panigeo  
Vice-President: May Panigeo  
Secretary: Sam Taalak  
Treasurer: Eli Solomon

Committees: Devotional: Alice and Eddie Hopson, Mollie Itta  
Social: Amy Taalak and Bill Wartes



Don't be a



and



But be



From: your G.Fers



To:-



Who me?

Barrow

Yes you.

From the Manse on January 30th

Dear Friends:

During the month of February we will be at work doing our best to get the 1958 Goals which were adopted by the Congregation started and well under way. If you are called upon to give some help or leadership in any of the program, will you please consider this with great care, and after prayerful consideration do all on your part to complete what you are asked to share as your responsibility.

It is hoped that a new building Committee will be appointed this Sunday night; when we are asking all the officers, new and old, to gather following the evening service to do the choosing of committee members.

The revised copies of the 1958 Goal sheet will be available Sunday, February 2nd, as well as the 1957 Financial Report. It will be found at the back of the church for those who have not as yet obtained a copy for their own information.

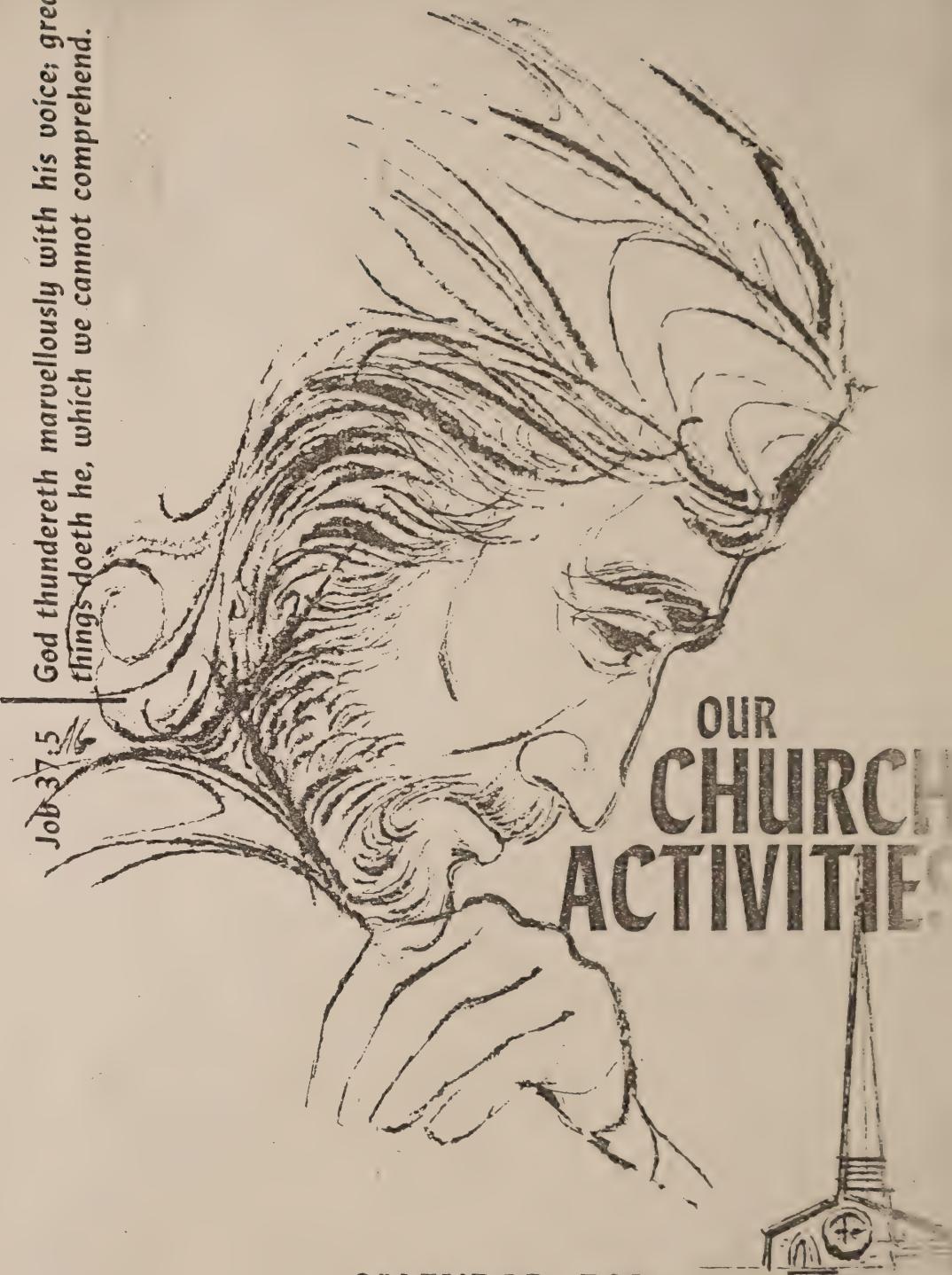
Later on in the month, the Year Book of Prayer for Missions will be available. Fifty copies have been ordered. If you want a copy of this reserved for you or your family, please sign the priority list on the bulletin board. As February is the month of special Foreign Missions study, it is only fitting that we stress the use of the Prayer book for Missions now.

The Westminster Fellowship will be working on the World Mural art project on the back wall of the Sanctuary. When it is finished it will keep before us the Great Commission to go into all the world and preach the Gospel.

Yours in His service,

*W.C. Miller*

God thundereth marvellously with his voice; great things doeth he, which we cannot comprehend.



# OUR CHURCH ACTIVITIES CALENDAR FOR

FEB 7 1958

UTKEAGVIK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Barrow, Alaska  
William Wartes, Missionary-Pastor  
Samuel Simmonds, Lay Preacher

# FEBRUARY

**SUN. MON. TUES. WED. THURS. FRI. SAT.**

We love him, because he first loved us.  
And this commandment have we from  
him, That he who loveth God love  
his brother also.

### I John 4:19 and 21

Teachers'  
Study  
HIM-Singer

2	3	4	5	6	7	8
PtB and G.F. Installation 7:30 All Church Officers to meet 9:00	Geneva Fellowship Pot-Luck & Enlistment Meeting 6:30	2:00pm North Pcle Circle at Greta's & Main Street Dora Stine's Session Dinner 6:30	Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Led by Elder Roxy Ekowana Ccm. Classes Adult Chcir 6:30	Westminster Fellowship 7:30 Building Committee in Office 8:00		
9	10	11	12	13	14	15
Sco HOOD COURT	WEEK uit	Boy Scouts Kugak Circle Mamie's 7:30 Deacons Manse 8:00	Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Ben Nungasak Ccm. Classes Adult Choir 7:30	Westminster Fellowship 7:30	Polar Bearers 7:30	Beach Circle at Sadie's 2:00 Presbykids 2:00 Teachers' Study HIM-Singers
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
World Mission Sunday		2:pm	Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Bud Kanayurak Ccm. Classes Adult Chcir 7:30	Scout Committee 7:30 Westminster Fellowship 7:30	World Day of Prayer Polar Bearers 7:30	Teachers' Study HIM-Singers
23	24	25	26	27	28	
Regular Services every Sun.	Organize & Plan '49ers Fellowship	Every Tues. Boy Scout Troup 592 at 7:30 P.M.	Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Tom P. Brewer Ccm. Classes Adult Chcir 7:30	Westminster Fellowship 7:30	Polar Bearers	



In thee  
In me  
In all men  
There dwelleth the One God;

In all  
He suffers  
And he suffers  
For all;

In all everywhere,  
See thyself. *Art Project*  
Abandon this thy ignorant conceit,  
Which holds that thou art separate from other men.

# MONTHLY REPORT

MAR 6 1958  
For the month ending February 28, 1958

Report of (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) William Wartes Address Barrow, Alaska

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

TYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters  Field Served North Arctic Slope

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A.M.		P.M.								
	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.								
1ST WEEK	267		392	414							
2ND WEEK	244		399	408							
3RD WEEK	275		379	319							
4TH WEEK	234		383	345							
5TH WEEK											
TOTALS	980		1853	1486							

NEW MEMBERS:

PROFESSION

LETTER

PAYMENTS TO:

PASTOR'S SALARY

PENSION

CONG. EXP.

Receipts from Field sent to Board in February: \$1,000

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G. A. BENEV.

General Benevolence to Central Revn. Agency: \$ 500

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PASTORIAL

VISITS:

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CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Prayer Meeting	147	165	187	181		680
	Adult Choir Practice	20	17	12	9		58
	Youth Choir Practice	61	58	49	46		214
	Forty-Niners Fellowship					17	17
	Geneva Fellowship	64	55	50			169
	Polar Bearers	38	35	33	45		151
	Presbykids	66	55	51	52		224
	Session, Boards, & Committee Meetings						75

IMPORTANT: Be sure to write the narrative report on the reverse side.

## VOUCHER

### TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

March 3,

1958

Date

This is to certify that on the first day of March, 1958, or on the above date thereafter, I was actively engaged in National Missions Work and that it is my expectation to continue throughout the current month (X), or to discontinue my services as of . For these services there is due me

As SALARY for the month of March :

Salary (or wages) \$ 400. ✓

Rent allowance \$ 400 ✓

Total

As EXPENSES for the month of :

(Itemize on reverse side) — (Do not include salary or rent)

Travel

Other

Total expenses due

First National Bank of Fairbanks

(Person, if other than payee)

Fairbanks, Alaska

*William O. Wartes*

(Sign with ink)

Barrow, Alaska

Street or R. F. D.

Pay to  
or  
Mail to

Check if  
New Address

Post Office

Please do not write below this line.

BUDGET ACCOUNT

SYNOD

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Considerable effort was spent during this month on Committees and getting the 1958 Goals initiated in every way possible. A Fellowship group for older adults was finally organized after three years of nothing but talk. Those attending seemed quite enthusiastic and I think this group will show good growth as it catches on.

The Air Force unit giving leadership to our Scout troupe has for the most part left Barrow. This will mean Eskimo leaders will have to rise to the challenge. This looks more favorable than it did when Burdicks left and Scouts disbanded in December of '53. The other factor involved in the AF units leaving will be some curtailment of employment of Eskimo labor and contractor personnel. It is not known now how many Air Force people will remain but the two main units are leaving. Many of those men are already gone. There are two officers at the site who are on a DEWline alert warning assignment that has nothing to do with the two AR detachments that have been here. I do not know what these units were doing here. The two officers are regularly attending church here.

The Westminster Fellowship World Mission Art Mural on the back wall of the Sanctuary progressed well during the month with as many as ten to fifteen young folks working with Samuel on it. Other work continues on various parts of the Sanctuary and end rooms but if we do not have enough material to complete all the basic needs of the building.

Mark had virus pneumonia during the month but is back in school now. There has been one epidemic after another in Barrow the past six months or so. Every type of flu has made its rounds including the Asian.

Because no money has been appropriated for new school buildings, all the seventh and eighth graders will be sent to Wrangell next year. This is not good. Although the few students sent there this year are doing well, we are experiencing a negative reaction this year by many of the students at Mt. Edgecumbe and SJ. Even those parents who were resigned to their High School young folks going out to school are not happy that the younger ones will go so far away too.

This winter has been the mildest we have experienced in Barrow.

If you have confidential problems, write us separately and mark "personal."

### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other

March 1, 1958

Dear Friends:

There are several important announcements I would like you to keep in mind this month.

(1) HELP! HELP! WE NEED MORE HELP! Work on the interior of the church will continue through March on Thursday and Friday afternoons and evenings. There is sandpapering, varnishing, construction, etc. to be done and we will not be able to finish before Easter unless we have MORE HELP!!!

(2) There are many pictures, plaques, books, Bibles, etc. to beautify our homes or help us grow as Christian disciples on sale in the Fellowship Bookstore. The Bookstore is open before and after Prayer Meeting on Wednesdays. You can also buy things during the Work periods on Thursday and Fridays and during the recreation periods on Geneva Fellowship nights.

(3) The ADULT CHOIR will be having two practices each week until Easter preparing special music for the Easter Services. Please, join us to make this the finest choir we have had for a long time and make every effort to be faithful at practices. Practice periods will be after Prayer Meetings and Sunday Evening Services. Please, attend every practice!!!

(4) Remember that Palm Sunday, March 30th is the time to bring your One Great Hour of Sharing Churches with the offerings in them. As we approach Easter and are thinking of what Christ did for us, we should certainly be thinking of others in their needs and be reaching out by everymeans possible to them.

(5) The women of our church are seeking to organize themselves into a more effective working unit for the Lori. They will be holding a very important meeting on March 5th at 1:00 P.M. Every woman is invited to bring her lunch and join us in a good time.

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**MARCH 1958**



and it was so, when the king saw Esther the queen standing in the court, that she obtained favor in his sight; and the king held out to Esther the golden sceptre that was in his hand.



1958  
Our Church Activities Calendar For

UTQEVVIK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Barrow, Alaska  
William Wartes, Missionary-Pastor  
Samuel Simmonds, Lay-Preacher

**sun. mon. tues. wed. thur. fri. sat.**

## Sunday Services:

10:15 A.M. Inupiat

11:00 Morning

Worship

2:00 and 3:00 P.M.

Sunday School

4:10 Youth Choir

## 7:30 Song Service

**And the Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely.**

Revelation 22:17

Teachers'  
Study

2	North Pole 4 Circle at Harriette's & Main Street Circle at Ella's 2:00 Elders- Elect 8:00	1:00pm 5 11 111 Presbykids Prayer Meet. Fred Ipalook Adult Choir	6 1:00 - 5:30 & 7 - 9:00 Geneva Fellowship and Westminster Fellowship Scrub and Paint Marsh-Spence Hall also	7
Trustees 8:45 Adult Chair 9:00	Geneva Fellowship 8:00			Teachers' Study
9	10 Kugaakmiut Circle 7:30 Martha Aiken's Beach Circle at Sadie's 2:00 P.M.  49'ers Start Digging	11 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Sadie Neakok Session Dinner 6:30 Adult Choir	12 Presbykids 13 Building Continues Westminster Fellowship 7:30 Adult Choir	14 Polar f Bearers 7:30
PfB Sing at 8:45 Adult Choir 9:00				Teachers' Study
16	17 Mission Box Rummage Sale 2:00 Geneva Fellowship 8:00	18 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Ernest Kignak Building Committee 7:30 Adult Choir	19 Westminster Fellowship 7:30 Adult Choir	20 Polar f Bearers 7:30
W.F. Sing 8:45 Adult Choir 9:00				Teachers' Study
23	24 7:00pm Drama Time to Share	25 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Tom Brower Session Meeting 8:00 Adult Choir	26 Westminster Fellowship 7:30 Adult Choir	27 Polar f Bearers 7:30
Deacons 8:45 Adult Choir 9:00				Teachers' Study
30	31 PACT 24th E 31st		Work on Building and W.F. Mural	29
Palm Sunday Holy Week				

sk, and it shall be given you; seek, and ye shall find; knock, and it shall be opened unto you:

(Matthew 7:7)

# MONTHLY REPORT

12 1958  
For the month ending March 31, 1958

Report of (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) Rev. William C. Wartes Address Barrow, Alaska

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

TYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters  Field Served North Arctic Slope of Alaska

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAME OF CHURCHES:	Barrow A.M.		P.M.							
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.
1ST WEEK	215	369	363							
2ND WEEK	247	365	320							
3RD WEEK	264	384	302							
4TH WEEK	259	384	349							
5TH WEEK	258	322	376							
TOTALS	1243	1824	1710							

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## INSTRUCTIONS

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Prayer Meeting	171	139	165	182		657
	Adult Choir Practice	18	21	15	20		74
	Youth Choir Practice	47	43	63			153
	Polar Bearers	32	35	39	38		144
	Presbykids	61	56	56	60		233
	Geneva Fellowship	19	41	13	42		83
	49ers	39		25			64
	Session	10	13	10	9	10	62

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## VOUCHER

### TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

May 5, 1958

Date

This is to certify that on the first day of April, 1958, or on the above date thereafter, I was actively engaged in National Missions Work and that it is my expectation to continue throughout the current month (X), or to discontinue my services as of . For these services there is due me

As SALARY for the month of April :

Salary (or wages) \$400

Rent allowance

\$400.00

As EXPENSES for the month of :

(Itemize on reverse side) — (Do not include salary or rent)

Travel

Other

Total expenses due

(Person, if other than payee)

Pay to or  
Mail to

Check if

New Address

Post Office

*William C. Wartes*

(Sign with ink)

Barrow, Alaska

Street or R. F. D.

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BY

Date

BUDGET ACCOUNT

SYNOD

APPROVED

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### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other

# MONTHLY REPORT

12 1958  
For the month ending April 30, 1958

Report of (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) Rev. Wm. C. Wartes Address Barrow, Alaska

Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

TYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters  Field Served North Arctic Slope of Alaska

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAME OF CHURCHES:	Barrow A.M.		Barrow P.M.		Kaktovik		Anaktuvuk			
ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.
1ST WEEK	397	354	495							
2ND WEEK	329	376	375					55/52		
3RD WEEK	279	342	328							
4TH WEEK	298	327	450		65/79					
5TH WEEK										
TOTALS	1303	1399	1648		144		107			
NEW MEMBERS: Total:	37									
PROFESSION	23				14					
LETTER										
PAYMENTS TO:										
PASTOR'S SALARY										
PENSION										
CONG. EXP.										
G. A. BENEV.										
PASTORIAL VISITS:	10									

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
✓ Good Friday Service		315					315
Prayer Meeting		168	184	179	200	192	923
Adult Choir Practice		15	14	18	20		67
Youth Choir Practice				40			40
Polar Bearers			35	36	34		105
Presbykids		55	64	54/48	67	52	340
Geneva Fellowship			40		36		76
49ers (Older adults' fellowship)		20		18			38
Session		8			13		21

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## VOUCHER

### TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

May 6,

1958

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As SALARY for the month of May :

Salary (or wages) \$400

Rent allowance \$400

Total

As EXPENSES for the month of :

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Travel

Other

Total expenses due

First National Bank of Fairbanks

(Person, if other than payee)

Fairbanks, Alaska

*William C. Wartes*  
(Sign with ink)

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This month was off to a notable start with the receiving of a 23-member Communicant Class at the Good Friday Communion service. Later in the month fourteen members were received at Kaktevik.

I picked up Roy the day after Easter and with Samuel, we flew to Fairbanks, took the train to Anchorage for the Officer Training Workshop, (while in Anch. the three of us went to see "The Ten Commandments"--a great blessing) and proceeded by car to Presbytery at Palmer. Samuel was re-commissioned for three years at this meeting.

On our return home we spent Sunday the 13th at Anaktuvuk Pass with Roy and Samuel giving special assistance in the meetings--two worship services, Sunday School, and a business meeting. Further planning was done on the construction of a chapel with the men holding a special meeting and pledging to cut and haul the necessary logs. I returned to the Pass on the 23rd with scale drawings of "The Chapel in the Mountains" and about 650 lbs. of equipment, tools, and materials including a 1500 watt light plant and battery. On the 30th I made another trip with a second load including a power chain saw and large rolls of tar paper, 6 5-gal. cans of motor fuel, and many other things. I stayed long enough this trip to help check on the progress of the log cutting and assist hauling some of them by dog sled. We had the thrilling blessing of seeing the John River re-freeze after it started to flood so that work could continue. The amazing thing being that the Anaktuvuk River which flows north from the Pass is completely broken up and flooded while the John River, flowing south from the Summit of the Pass, is still usable by dog sleds. Hunt's Fork, about forty miles south of the summit, is where the logs are being cut. It was a tremendous sight to see nine dog teams headed up the frozen river with their heavy loads of logs, some logs as large as 29 feet.

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### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other

COME TO OUR ...



Wed. - Thur. - Fri. -  
7:30 P.M.

## HOLY WEEK

Come prayerfully,  
Bring your Bible,  
Prepare your heart  
for the Good Friday  
Communion Service.



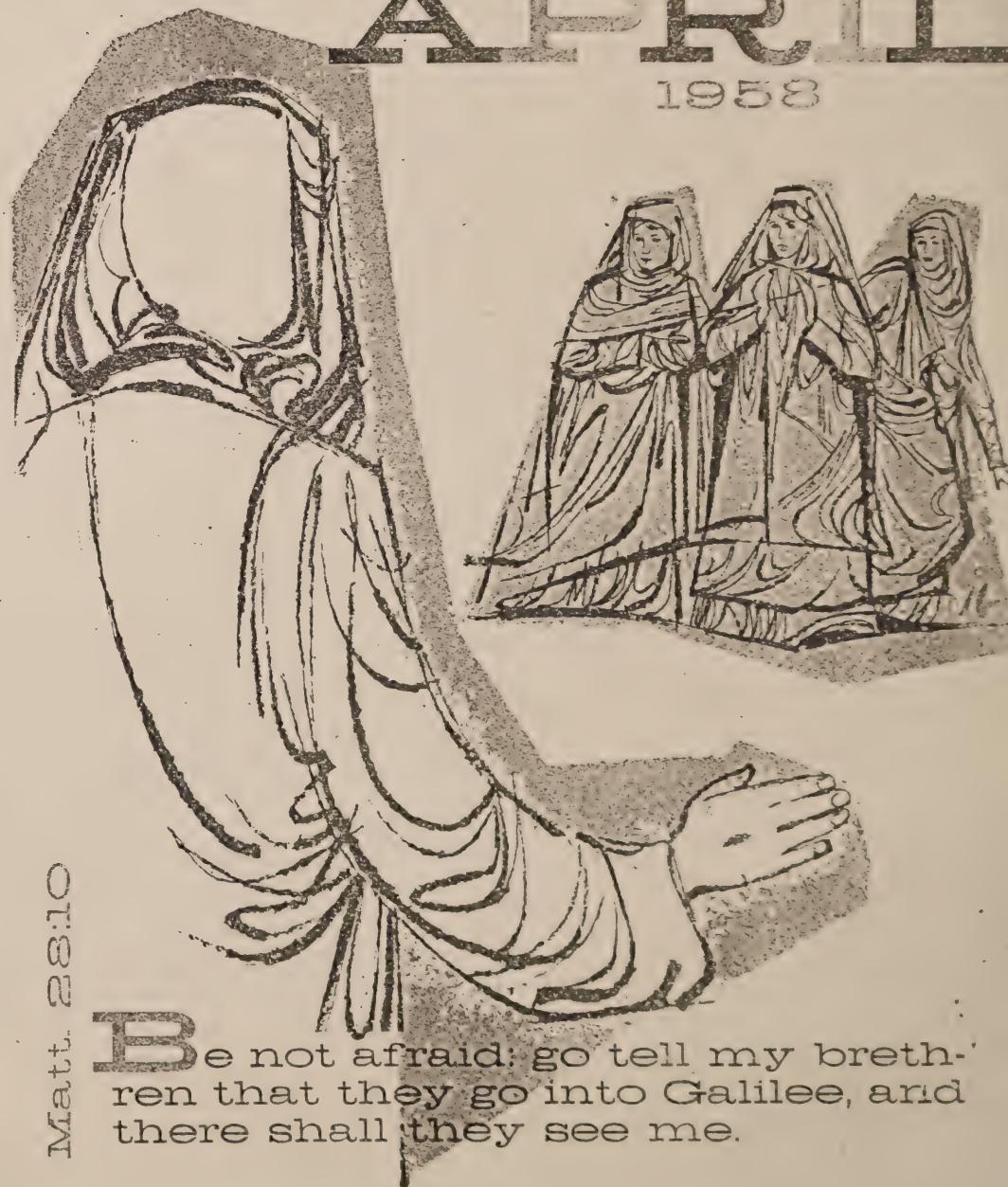
Dr. J. Earl Jackman  
hopes to be with us at  
that service. Previous  
to the Sacrament we  
will welcome twenty-one  
new Communicants.

# Our Church Activities

CALENDAR For

# APRIL

1958



Matteo 28:10

**B**e not afraid: go tell my brethren that they go into Galilee, and there shall they see me.

# Church Activities

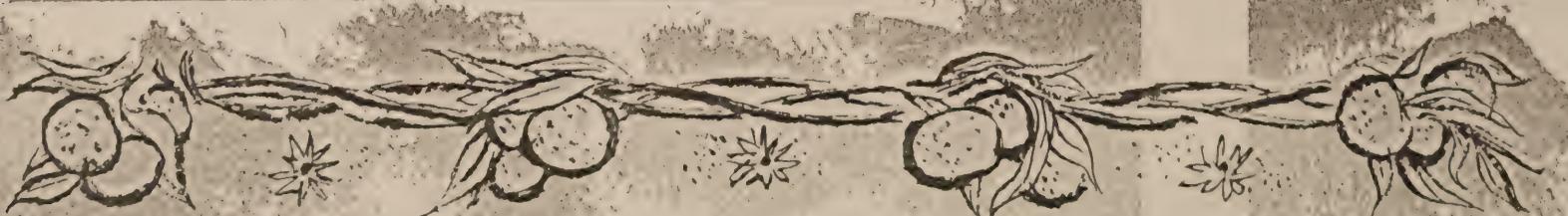
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Barrow, Alaska

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## CALENDAR

# For APRIL 1958

SUN	MON	TUES	WED	THURS	FRI	SAT
		Geneva Fellowship Drama Practices 1st & 3rd Acts Tues. 7:00 Wed. 2nd Act Thurs. Full Dress Rehearsal	*	* HOLY WEEK SPECIAL SERVICES * * 2nd, 3rd, 4th ** 7:30 each night *****	*	4
Romans 6:8			Pres. Women Bring Lunch 1:00		Session	Teachers' Study
ESTER						5
G.F. Drama "Weep Thou No More" 7:30	"49'ers" 7:30	Boy Scouts each Tues. at 7:30 Kugaakmiut Circle 7:30 Maggie Solomon's G.F. Officers 8:00	8 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Nageak	9 Westminster Fellowship 7:30	10	11
				Polar + Bearers 7:30	12	
					13	
		Committee Chairmen arrange your own time and place of meeting Geneva Fellowship 8:00.	14 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Special Prayer Meeting for Whaling Bldg. Com. 9:00	15 Westminster Fellowship 7:30	16	17
				Polar + Bearers 7:30	18	19
					Presbykids 2:00	
Adult Choir	"49'ers" 7:30	Session Dinner 6:30	22 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Floyd Ahvakana 7:30	23 Westminster Fellowship 7:30	24	25
				Polar + Bearers 7:30	26	
					Teachers' Study	
Adult Choir	Geneva Fellowship 8:00	P.W.O. 7:30	27	28	29 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder George Leavitt 7:30	30



## MONTHLY REPORT

AUG 6 1958  
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Synod Washington Presbytery Yukon

TYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters X Field Served North Arctic Slope

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A.M.		P.M.		Anaktuvuk Pass				
	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.	CHURCH	S. S.
1ST WEEK	198	268	302						
2ND WEEK	221	268	327						
3RD WEEK	347	327	418						
4TH WEEK	273	274	347						
5TH WEEK		31							
TOTALS	1039	1137	1394						

NEW MEMBERS:

PROFESSION 8

LETTER

PAYMENTS TO: Field Receipts of \$1,000 sent middle of May

PASTOR'S SALARY

PENSION

CONG. EXP.

G. A. BENEV.

PASTORIAL

VISITS: 10

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	Prayer Meeting	152	164	182	179		677
	Adult Choir Practice	18	19	17	20		74
	Youth Choir Practice	31			52		83
	Polar Bearers	35	36	47	39	37	194
	Presbykids	42	50	44/36	39		211
	Geneva Fellowship		21		26		47
	49ers	24		30			54
	Presbyterian Women's Bible Study Class	36	35	40	38	36	185

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## VOUCHER

## TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

June 15, 1958

This is to certify that on the first day of July, 1958, or on the above date thereafter, I was actively engaged in National Missions Work and that it is my expectation to continue throughout the current month (X), or to discontinue my services as of ..... For these services there is due me

As SALARY for the month of June :

Salary (or wages) \$400

Rent allowance \$400

Total

As EXI Beginning with the AUGUST

(Itemize check, please mail to

Travel Rev. William C. Wartes

Other 3833 Sunnyside Avenue

Seattle 3, Washington

Total expenses due

First National Bank of Fairbanks

(Person, if other than payee)

Fairbanks, Alaska

*William C. Wartes*  
(Sign with ink)

Barrow, Alaska

Street or R. F. D.

Pay to  
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BUDGET ACCOUNT

SYNOD

APPROVED

BY

Date

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During this month a primary effort was put forth in getting supplies and equipment into Anaktuvuk Pass for the "Chapel in the Mountains" project. The last load of logs were hauled before it was too late to travel by river. There was tremendous excitement generated as the fourteen dog teams went about getting these logs up the river--some over forty miles. I made trips back and forth coordinating things, flying in feed, and doing a lot of hard labor in the process--leading logs on sleds, as well as cutting and peeling logs, etc.

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**EXPENSES ITEMIZED:**

Travel

Other

**Our Church Activities Calendar For**

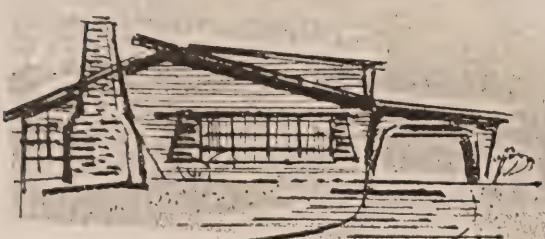


UTKEAGVIK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH  
Barrow, Alaska  
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Samuel Simmonds, Lay Preacher

12 1958

**May 58**

**SUN. MON. TUES. WED. THUR. FRI. SAT.**



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				Westminster Fellowship	Polar + Bearers	Teachers' Study
4 Geneva Fellowship Singspiration	5 Trustees in Study--7:00 49ers 7:30	6 North Pole Circle 2:00 Mamie S.'s Main Street Circle 2:00 Molly Adam's Kugaakmiut Circle 7:30 Mable Aiken's	7 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Abe Simmonds	8 Presbyterian Women Bible Study 7:30 P.M.	9 Polar + Bearers 7:30	10 Teachers' Study
11 Regular Sunday Services every week: Inupiat Pre-service 10:15 A.M. Morning Worship at 11:00 A.M. Sunday School at 2:00 and 3:00 P.M. Youth Choir 4:00 P.M. and	12 Geneva Fellowship 8:00	13 Every week Boy Scouts	14 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Arthur Neakok	15 Pres. Women Bible Study 7:30	16 Polar + Bearers 7:30	17 Presbykids 2:00
18	19 49ers 7:30	20 North Pole Circle 2:00 Kate Brower's Kugaakmiut Edna's 7:30 Session Dinner Meeting 6:30	21 Westminster Fellowship Mural Project 1:00 & 9:00 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer-Bert	22 Pres. Women Bible Study 7:30	23 Polar + Bearers 7:30	24 Teachers' Study
25 Evening Worship at 7:30 with Song Service	26 Geneva Fellowship 8:00	27 Boy Scouts	28 WF Mural 1:00 & 9:00 Presbykids 4:10 RKBC 7:05 Prayer Meet. Elder Roxy Ekowana	29 Westminster Fellowship Potluch Dinner 6:00 Pres. Women Bible Study 7:30	30 Polar + Bearers 7:30	31 Teachers' Study

UTKEAGVIK PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Barrow, Alaska

William C. Wartes, Missionary-Pastor

Samuel Simmonds, Lay Preacher

Morning Worship

May 4, 1958

Inupiat Pre-service

10:15 A.M.

Hymn

Scripture

I Corinthians 1:2-9

Prayer

Message:

"Peace from God"

Hymn

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Organ Interlude

Fred Ipalook

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Prelude

11:00 A.M.

No. 140

Hymn of Worship

Call to Worship

Choral Intrcit

Invocation

Scripture

Pastoral Prayer

Announcements

Offertory Hymn

No. 188

Organ Meditation

Ordination Service

Electees to be ordained: Mrs. Horace Ahsogiak

Mr. Forrest Solomon

Mr. Kenneth Tcovak

Mr. Homer Mekiana

Installation Service

Celebration of the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper

Sermonette: "Just as You Are"

Invitation and Prayer of Dedication

The Bread / The Cup

Closing Hymn (Verses 1 & 4)

No. 189

Benediction

Threefold Amen

Postlude

Evening Service

7:30 P.M.

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Prelude

Song Service

Nos. 248, 403, and requests.

Responsive Reading

No. 512

GLORIA PATRIA

Inupiat Prayer

Announcements

Offertory Hymn

No. 288

Choral Selection

Doxology - Prayer of Dedication - Response

Message:

"I'm Third"

Closing Hymn

No. 417

Benediction

"Blest be the Tie"

Postlude

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Following the morning service we will ask the newly ordained Elders to stand at the front of the church where members of the congregation can extend their congratulations.

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This week Samuel will return with Homer Mekiana to Anaktuvuk Pass for a Preaching Mission and to assist in the construction of "The Chapel in the Mountains". Please, support this effort with your prayers.

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The Presbyterian Women have voted to have a weekly Bible Study to be led by our officers. We will be studying the book of Luke beginning Thursday evening at 7:30 in Marsh-Spence Hall. Come, study with us.

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Following the evening service Geneva Fellowship will have a Roll Call Singspiration tonight.

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Tomorrow night the Trustees will meet at 7 o'clock.

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The May Activity Calendar will be delivered tomorrow.

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For the month ending June 30, 1958

## MONTHLY REPORT

Report of (Rev., M/Mrs./Miss) William C. Wartes Address Barrow, AlaskaSynod Washington Presbytery YukonTYPE OF CHURCH: Urban ..... Rural ..... Headquarters  Field Served .....

## CHURCHES AND MISSION STATIONS

NAMES OF CHURCHES:	A.M.		P.M.								
	ATTENDANCE	CHURCH	S. S.								
1ST WEEK	245		340	352							
2ND WEEK	226		341	296							
3RD WEEK	267		294	316							
4TH WEEK	238		276	306							
5TH WEEK	239		297	312							
TOTALS	1215		1548	1582							

NEW MEMBERS:

PROFESSION

LETTER

PAYMENTS TO:

PASTOR'S SALARY

PENSION

CONG. EXP.

G. A. BEDEV. \$250. (Enclosed)

PASTORIAL

VISITS: 15

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## INSTRUCTIONS

CHURCH	OTHER MEETINGS AND ACTIVITIES	WEEKLY ATTENDANCE					TOTAL
		1ST	2ND	3RD	4TH	5TH	
	Adult Choir Practice	22	26/17	30	28		123
	Youth Choir	45	36	35	42		133
	Polar Bearers	32	29	26	35		122
	Presbykids	39	40	37	28/24/28		196
	49ers. (Older adults fellowship)	16		21		13	50
	Geneva Fellowship		24		31		45
	Prayer Meeting	136	145	139	288		708
	Women's Bible Study	21	14	15	12		62

IMPORTANT: Be sure to write the narrative report on the reverse side.

## VOUCHER

July 24,

1958

## TO THE BOARD OF NATIONAL MISSIONS:

This is to certify that on the first day of July, 1958, or on the above date thereafter, I was actively engaged in National Missions Work and that it is my expectation to continue throughout the current month  , or to discontinue my services as of Furlough to begin July 28. For these services there is due me

As SALARY for the month of July:Salary (or wages) \$400.00

Rent allowance \_\_\_\_\_

Total \$400.00

As EXPENSES for the month of \_\_\_\_\_:

(Itemize on reverse side) — (Do not include salary or rent)

Travel \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

Total expenses due \_\_\_\_\_

 Rev. William C. Wartes (Person, if other than payee)

3833 Sunnyside Avenue

Seattle 3, Washington

Post Office

Pay to or

Mail to Check if 

New Address \_\_\_\_\_

William C. Wartes

(Sign with ink)

3833 Sunnyside Ave.

Street of R. F. D.

Seattle 3, Washington

Please do not write below this line.

APPROVED \_\_\_\_\_

BY \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

BUDGET ACCOUNT \_\_\_\_\_

SYNOD \_\_\_\_\_

## NARRATIVE SECTION OF REPORT (Original and 3 carbons)

This is most important: It gives you a record of your work for your own review and evaluation; it tells us of your special problems or needs, your successes and gratifying experiences, your special meetings and activities; and it supplies the publicity department with news items for the Church.

If you have confidential problems, write us separately and mark "personal".

### EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other



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The Rev John Chambers arrived on July 25<sup>th</sup> and assumed the pulpit on the 27<sup>th</sup> - the statistic chart was left for his use at Barrow. I was able to give him some instruction in the plane, and to fly him via Anchorage Pass to Fairbanks. This instruction and introduction to the Athabascans people were my last acts of leadership on the field. I arrived in Seattle with the family on the 30<sup>th</sup> of July, to start my furlough.

Although we were delayed in our departure from Barrow, and most of our Summer plans had to be abandoned; still it was comforting to see the Chambers and George Johnson on the job at Barrow, and getting their teeth into the work - I'm sure they will make out well and get along wonderfully together, and with Samuel Grinnan &

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EXPENSES ITEMIZED:

Travel

Other



# MONTHLY REPORT, CONTINUED

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Report highlights of work accomplished, indicating progress in program for the year; relate successes, gratifying experiences, special problems or needs; and summarize special meetings and activities. If space is insufficient, use plain paper to complete report.

DO NOT WRITE NARRATIVE BELOW THIS LINE

## EXPENSES ITEMIZED

Travel

Other

MONTHLY REPORT of *Heller & Walker*, For the month ended *July 31, 1938*  
 (Rev., Mr., Mrs., Miss) Field or  
 Address Church Secured *Bethel*

Address..... Church Served.....

Synod..... Heath..... Presbytery..... Cruikshank..... Date Organized..... 1898..... 19.....

TYPE OF FIELD: City and Industrial..... Town and Country..... Headquarters Project.....  
*(Check type of field as directed by your executive.)*

**RECORD OF ATTENDANCE**

## **NEW MEMBERS**

PROF. & REAFF. *for writing*  
CERTIFICATE  
RESTORED

**PRESENT MEMBERSHIP**

**NUMBER**

## PASTORAL VISITS

	FIRST WEEK	SECOND WEEK	THIRD WEEK	FOURTH WEEK	FIFTH WEEK
NUMBER					
<b>FINANCES</b>					
PAYMENTS TO:					
PASTOR'S SALARY					
PENSION					
OTHER CONG. EXP.					
G. A. BENEV.					

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**THIS REPORT IS NOT COMPLETE WITHOUT A FULL NARRATIVE ACCOUNT OF THE MONTH'S ACTIVITIES—USE REVERSE SIDE.**

**VOUCHER to Board of National Missions:**

This certifies that I am actively engaged in National Missions work and that I expect to continue throughout the current month (I expect to discontinue my services as of July 31, 1958) For these services, I am entitled to receive:

As SALARY, for the month of October,  
(Month Just Beginning)

As EXPENSES, for the month of \_\_\_\_\_

(Itemize on reverse side. Do not include salary or rent.)

Travel .....

Other.....

Total expenses due .....

Pay to  Name \_\_\_\_\_

(Person, if other than payee)

Mail to  Address \_\_\_\_\_

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**BUDGET CATEGORY No.**

DATE 19 UNIT \_\_\_\_\_

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Travel

Other



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